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NEW ORLEANS.

The Legislative War.

GOV. WARMOTH IMPEACHED.

The High Court Organized.

TWO LEGISLATURES IN SESSION.

NEW ORLEANS, December 9.—In the Federal Court, the Warmoth contempt case was postponed until to-morrow, on account of the illness of Judge Durrell. Much interest is manifested regarding the political moves. Quite a crowd gathered at Mechanic's Institute, where the Kellogg Legislature met, and at City Hall, where the fusion members were in caucus, as well as the Federal Court Room, where the Warmoth contempt case was set for a hearing.

Judge Elmore, of the Eighth District Court, and Manning, Clerk, were arraigned before the Supreme Court for contempt growing out of the Borree case. Judge Elmore was fined fifty dollars and ordered to be imprisoned ten days. Manning was fined thirty dollars and ordered to be imprisoned fifty days. They were both pardoned by Gov. Warmoth.

In the Kellogg Legislature, after organization, sixty-four members being present, the following was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The General Assembly is now convened in compliance with the call of the Government, and certain evil disposed persons are reported to be forming a combination to disturb the public peace, defy the lawful authorities, and the State is threatened with violence, therefore be it

Resolved, By the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of Louisiana, the Senate concurring, that the President of the United States be requested to afford the protection guaranteed to each State by the Constitution of the United States when threatened with domestic violence, and that the presiding officers of the General Assembly transmit this resolution immediately by telegraph or otherwise to the President of the United States.

The Joint Committee to wait upon the Governor reported that they called at the executive office, and were informed by a messenger that the Governor was not in, and had not been in the office during the day. The committee then asked to see the Governor's Secretary, but were informed that he was too busily engaged to see them. The committee then left a written communication for the Governor, informing him that both houses of the General Assembly had assembled in pursuance of his proclamation, and having organized, were ready to receive any communication he might be pleased to transmit.

The Governor's private Secretary afterwards sent to the house a note that the Governor would communicate to the General Assembly at noon to-day. The Speaker then proceeded to read the following, which he stated was an important matter, and asked the attentive consideration of the members:

Resolved, By the House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, that Henry C. Warmoth, Governor of Louisiana, be and he is hereby impeached for high crimes and misdemeanors in office committed against the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana.

After a short debate the resolution was adopted—yeas 58, nays 6.

Speaker Lowell said: It becomes my solemn duty to announce to this House and the people of Louisiana that the Governor stands impeached of high crimes and misdemeanors. A committee was appointed to notify the Senate. The following was unanimously:

Resolved, By the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that, whereas the House of Representatives has formally presented and approved the articles of impeachment against Henry C. Warmoth, and presented the same for the action of the Senate; and

WHEREAS, Under the Constitution, the impeachment of the Governor operates the supervision of the office pending the trial, the General Assembly in the premises considered, do now declare Henry C. Warmoth suspended from the office of Governor of the State of Louisiana until such time as the Senate shall try and decide upon the charges prepared against him.

In the Senate, Generals Hugh J. Campbell and W. L. McMullen and Messrs. Hunsacker and Jenks, Senators holding over from the last term, entered a protest against the illegal and unconstitutional manner in which the Senate was organized. Gen. Campbell protested against the illegal and precipitate organization of the Senate, stating his reasons and citing a precedent in support of his views. He stated that the Senate was the sole judge of its returns, concluding, "No Court, even of the United States, can decide for the Senate the question of its returns." He therefore protested against the present organization of the Senate as illegal and unconstitutional. The other protests were to the same purpose. Debate followed.

The House committee on impeachment reported as follows: In obedience to the order of the House of Representatives, we appear before you, and in the name of the House of Representatives of all the State of Louisiana, do impeach Henry Clay Warmoth, Governor of the State of Louisiana, of high crimes and misdemeanors in office, and we further inform the Senate that the House of Representatives will in due time exhibit particular articles of impeachment against him and make good the same in their name. We demand that the Senate take the order for the appearance said of Henry Clay Warmoth to answer said impeachment. Mr. Ingraham offered the following:

WHEREAS, Articles of impeachment have been presented in the Senate, alleging that H. Clay Warmoth, Governor of Louisiana, is guilty of high crimes and misdemeanors in office; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the State of Louisiana, that the Senate having resolved itself into a high court of impeachment, that the presiding officer of the Senate notify the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the action of the Senate.

Mr. Ingraham stated that by the resolution impeaching Governor Warmoth, Lieutenant Governor Pinchback became Governor of Louisiana, and moved that Senator A. B. Harris, of Concordia, take the chair as President of the Senate, which was adopted.

In the Senate this afternoon, Lieutenant Governor Pinchback, upon reading in the *Evening Times* an editorial flatly contradicting a statement made by him this morning that Mr. C. A. Weed and Governor Warmoth had offered him $50,000 and as many offices as he wanted to help on their measure, said: "I owe it to myself and to Mr. Weed to state that he was not present at the meeting, as I in my heat had first stated. He was in an entirely different room, and the doors were closed between us. He came to the house with Mr. Warmoth, but was not present at the time the offer was made. I owe this to Mr. Weed as a gentleman whom I know, and to my own dignity and feelings."

At the evening session of the Senate Chief Justice Ludeling appeared, and was sworn in as Presiding Judge of the High Court by Justice Taliaferro. He then swore in twenty Senators present, and declared the Court of Impeachment organized and ready to proceed. The Court then adjourned till Monday, the 16th.

Lieutenant Governor Pinchback qualified as Governor, took possession of the office, and received the congratulation of his friends.

The fusion members of the Legislature have been in secret session at Lyceum Hall all day, and adjourned at 9 P. M. until to-morrow.

CINCINNATI.

Fearful Accident—Fall of a Scaffold—Four Men Killed and Four Wounded.

CINCINNATI, December 9.—At half-past two this afternoon the scaffolding of the new addition building to the water works fell, carrying down eight working men a distance of nearly eighty feet, killing four of them and wounding the other four. The scaffold was on three wooden trusses, each sixty feet in length, for the purpose of putting up wrought iron trusses for the roof of the building. The scaffold trusses extended clear across the building, and their extremities rested on the upper story windows of the new structure, which is extraordinarily strong. The scaffold was erected by a sub-contractor, who built the roof for the contractors. Mr. R. T. Cowden, engineer in charge of the building, says he repeatedly notified the contractor and sub-contractor that the scaffold trusses were man-traps, and would not stand the weight they would be required to bear only. This morning, he says, he repeated his warning to the foreman of the roofing party, and ordered his own foreman to keep off the scaffold, as it might fall at any moment. It had to bear the weight of three wrought iron trusses, intended for the roof. The bars used were membraces, forming a net work six feet broad, with an opening of about one foot in diameter. Most of the weight of these iron roof trusses, weighing several tons, rested on the scaffold. In the fall the scaffold, roof, trusses and all came down in a heap together, the iron trusses bending as if made of tin.

The men killed were Jas. Britt, George Hughey, Charles Case, Frank Meyers. The two last named were precipitated into ten feet of water, and had to be fished out. All were killed instantly. The wounded men were Lairy Castigan, Thos. Britt, Cahill and Barney Haley. Three of these walked out of the place were they fell. All of them are said to have suffered fractured limbs, but at present the exact nature of their wounds cannot be ascertained. It is thought none of them are mortal.

—Details of the loss of the steamship Guatemala show that when the ship was wrecked the Indians declined to assist them, when Captain Douglass and a few determined men seized their chief and made him furnish provisions and guide them to Salina Cruz, near Oaxaca. The American Consular agent at Oaxaca declined aiding Captain Douglass and his destitute crew and passengers, and but for the efforts of a private citizen, named Gremon, they would have suffered extremely.

FORTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

(THIRD SESSION.)

Supplemental Civil Rights Bill Referred to a Committee—Boston Firemen to be Rewarded for Saving the Sub-Treasury Safe—Appropriation for the Removal of Obstructions in the Channel Way at Sandy Hook—Committee on the Centennial Celebration Appointed—Reforms in the Presidential Office Suggested by Mr. Banks.

WASHINGTON, December 9, 1872.

SENATE.

CREDENTIALS.

The credentials of Mr. Morton, re-elected, were presented.

REIMBURSING STATES.

Mr. MORTON, from the Military Committee, reported a bill refunding to States interest on moneys borrowed to equip, pay, supply and transport troops for the United States in the late war, and said he would ask early action thereon.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

Mr. FENTON introduced a bill providing that in case any person entitled to a pension for service in the war of 1812 dies during the pendency of his application, the accrued pension to which he would have been entitled shall be paid to his widow or legal representatives.

Mr. COLE introduced a bill relating to the payment of duties, which provides that after June 30, 1873, it shall be lawful to receive twenty per cent. of the amount of custom duties in United States notes, and twenty per cent. additional proportion each year thereafter, until 1877, when duties may be paid either in gold or United States notes.

Mr. CARPENTER introduced a bill providing that hereafter the annual session of the Supreme Court of the United States shall commence on the first Monday in October of each year.

Mr. ANTHONY introduced a bill authorizing the transportation in a United States vessel and free admission of the sailors' monument, designed by Admiral Porter, and now being executed in Rome by the American sculptor, Simmons.

In accordance with the resolution adopted last week, the Senate, at the end of the morning hour, proceeded to consider

BILLS ON THE CALENDAR.

The report of the Committee of Conference regulating the construction of bridges across the Ohio river was agreed to, and the House having agreed to it at the last session, the bill is now passed.

On motion of Mr. STEWART, the bill to define the rights of miners and to encourage the development of mines was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Sumner's joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution confining the President to one term was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. CAMERON moved that the French Spoliation bill be made the special order for Monday next. Agreed to.

The bill for the relief of Lizzie Gilmer, postmaster at Pittsfield, Ill., was passed. Yeas, 32; nays, 15.

Mr. POMEROY moved to postpone indefinitely the bill to extend the time for the construction of the Kansas, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, saying that the road had already progressed so far that it would be finished within the prescribed time.

At 2:55 the Senate went into executive session, and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

Several bills were introduced and referred by Mr. HIBBARD (N. H.) for an amendment to the Constitution authorizing Congress to fix a uniform time for holding State elections.

THE PRESIDENCY AND VICE PRESIDENCY.

Mr. BANKS offered resolutions fixing the salary of the President at fifty thousand dollars per annum, commencing March 4, 1873; that the terms of office of the President and Vice President be six years, the President to be ineligible for re-election, and that the President and Vice President be elected by the people at the same time that Congressmen are elected.

That portion of the resolution as to the term of the Presidency was in the form of an amendment to the constitution.

REMITTING DUTIES.

Mr. BUTLER (Mass.) offered a bill remitting the duties on certain goods destroyed by the Boston fire; also to refund discriminating duties under the proclamation of October 30, 1872, on merchandise then actually afloat.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

A bill was introduced by Mr. Negley to complete the James river and Kanawha canal.

Bills were also introduced: To repeal the tax on spirits from fruit; providing for the safety of bonds; to reduce taxes; repealing the usury section of the currency act; amending the postal acts; providing for the collection of statistics of inland and coastwise trade between the States.

BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED.

By Mr. SHELLABARGER, to amend the act to facilitate postal and telegraphic communication.

By Mr. MORGAN (Ohio), to secure justice to the wool-growers of the United States.

By Mr. CLAGETT (Montana), to promote education in the Territories; also to secure a more efficient and honest administration of Indian affairs; also for the removal of obstructions to navigation in the upper Missouri river.

By Mr. BURCHARD, limiting the time during which funds received on subscription to national loans shall be permitted to remain on deposit with National Banking Associations and depositories.

By Mr. BLAIR (Michigan), extending for four years the Southern Claims Commission.

By Mr. DUNNELL (Minn.), to repeal the act of June 4th, 1872, regulating the construction of bridges across the Mississippi river; also to authorize the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad Company to build a bridge across the Mississippi at North La Crosse, Wisconsin.

By Mr. GALLEGOS (New Mexico), for the construction of a military road in New Mexico.

By Mr. BANKS, creating a commission to adjudge the compensation of the several claimants for damages, for depredations by rebel cruisers, to be discharged out of the indemnity fund awarded by the Tribunal of Arbitration at Geneva, to be paid by Great Britain to the United States.

SUPPLEMENTAL CIVIL RIGHTS BILL.

At the conclusion of the call of States, the bill introduced at the last session by Mr. Frye for Mr. Hooper, known as the "Supplemental Civil Rights Bill" came up, and occupied the remainder of the morning hour. The House refused to lay the bill on the table, and then it was referred to the Committee on Revision of Laws.

HOLIDAY ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. DAWES introduced a resolution for adjournment over the Christmas holidays, which was amended and adopted so as to make the recess extend from Friday, December 20, to Monday, January 6.

REWARDING BOSTON FIREMEN.

Mr. HOOPER introduced, and asked to have put upon its passage, a bill reciting that at the late great fire in Boston, the safe of the sub-Treasury, containing $13,000,000 in public property, was saved by the heroic exertions of the firemen, and appropriating $20,000 to the firemen's fund established by the firemen of Boston to aid the families of firemen who lost their lives in the conflagration.

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations, with leave to report at any time.

THE CARRYING TRADE.

Mr. KELLEY (Pa.) offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for a statement of the tonnage employed in the home trade of the United States, distinguishing between steam and sailing vessels, and between iron and wooden vessels. Adopted.

THE SAILORS' MONUMENT.

The bill was passed admitting free of duty the sailors' monument now being erected at Rome, which is to be placed in the grounds of the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

REMOVAL OF POLITICAL DISABILITIES.

Mr. ACKER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill removing all political disabilities and extending general amnesty. Negatived—yeas 102, nays 84—less than the necessary two-thirds in the affirmative.

REMOVING OBSTRUCTIONS.

Mr. LYNCH, from the Committee on Commerce, reported a bill appropriating $15,000 for the removal of a sunken wreck which is now an obstruction to navigation in the channel way at Sandy Hook. Passed, with an amendment holding owners, charterers or insurers of such vessel responsible for the cost of removal.

RAILROAD BRIDGES.

Mr. SHELDON moved to suspend the rules and pass the Senate bill authorizing the Mobile and Montgomery Railroad Company to construct and operate bridges across the Mobile river, and other navigable streams tributary to Mobile Bay. Agreed to, and the bill was passed.

COMMITTEE ON CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION.

The speaker announced the appointment of a Select Committee on the centennial celebration, as follows: Messrs. Kelley (Pa.), Dawes (Mass.), Maynard (Tenn.), Sargent (Cal.), Hawley Havens (Missouri), Cox (N. Y.), Marshall (Illinois); and Hancock (Texas).

House then adjourned.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, December 9, 1872.

ROBBING A CHURCH.

Two of the sons of the sexton of Dr. Talmage's church were arrested yesterday, charged with robbing the money boxes to the extent of six hundred dollars. The pilfering has been carried on for three months.

MEETING OF INTERNATIONALISTS.

At a meeting of the Internationalists, last night, it was announced that a mass meeting for the benefit of widows and orphans of the guillotined Communists would be held in Cooper Institute on the 11th inst.

FOUND DEAD.

Mr. Leppel, aged seventy years, an eccentric inventor, was found dead in a cellar in Greenwich street on Saturday night. The body had been partially eaten by rats.

THE CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, December 9, 1872.

The President to-day sent to the Senate the following nominations for Postmasters: J. F. Scofield, at Painesville, Ohio; George B. Whiting, Granville, Ohio; F. A. Haywood, Omro, Wis.; George F. Whitten, Grand Rapids, Wis.; W. G. Agnew, Osceola, Iowa; Samuel L. Lucas, Ames, Iowa; T. J. M. Worcer, Tama, Ills.; Paughett O. Ball, Greenville, Ills.; Thomas Blanchard, Flora, Ills.; Jesse M. Hammer, Eureka, Nev.; Y. M. Jamison, Reno, Nev.; T. W. England, Canton, Mo.; Henry G. Morton, Benton Harbor, Mich.; F. P. Royce, Escanaba, Mich.; B. F. Bradley, Midland, Mich.; H. H. Alpin, Winona, Mich.; E. C. Albright, Mason, Mich.; C. F. Robertson, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

SECRETARY DELANO GOING TO CUBA.

A special dispatch to a New York paper says Secretary Delano will sail for Cuba on Thursday next, to be absent from one to two months, and it is currently reported, among those aware of his proposed departure, that he will thoroughly inform himself of the condition of affairs on that island, and upon his return submit a report to the President. It is hinted that Delano goes in a semi-official capacity and at the suggestion of the President, who is anxious that the effusion of blood on that island shall be brought to an end. He does not wish to urge any new step upon Congress before knowing the exact state of affairs. Intimations are given out by well known friends of the Administration that there is a two-fold object in the Secretary's visit to Cuba; first, obtaining of accurate information regarding Cuban affairs, and, second, restoration of the Secretary's health.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

The barometer will continue high in the northwest, with light northwesterly winds, veering to southeasterly to-morrow, clear and cold weather extending eastward over the upper lakes and Michigan, and thence southward to the Missouri and Ohio valley; in the Gulf and South Atlantic States, northeasterly to northwesterly winds, cold, clear weather and rising barometer; on the lower lakes and in the St. Lawrence valley, northwesterly winds, light snow and clearing, cold weather; in the Middle and Eastern states, brisk northwesterly winds, clear weather, low temperature and increasing pressure. Warning signals continue at Duluth, Milwaukee, Grand Haven, Chicago, Detroit, Toledo, Cleveland, Buffalo, Rochester and Oswego, and are ordered for Baltimore, Cape May, New York, New London, Boston and Portland.

HEADSTONES IN NATIONAL CEMETERIES.

The Secretary of the War to-day transmitted to the Senate a communication relating to certain difficulties which prevented his execution of the act of 1872, relative to headstones in national cemeteries, and asking for additional legislation to enable the Department to supply said headstones in accordance with the law.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

The Senate, in executive session to-day, confirmed the following nominations: William P. Dewey, of Wisconsin, Surveyor General of Dakota. Indian Agents—William Burgess, for the Pawnees; John A. Pickering, for the Sacs and Foxes in the Indian Territory, and W. H. W. Beck, for the Indians at Fort Hall.

BOSTON.

Incendiaries at the Howard Theatre.

BOSTON, December 9.—On Saturday night the private watchman at the Howard Theatre discovered two men, supposed to be incendiaries, who refused to leave when ordered. He clubbed one of them, when the other fired a pistol, which penetrated the watchman's hat. On the stairway was found a can of burning fluid, with which it is supposed they intended to fire the building.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS,

From Various Points.

—The floods in the north of Italy continue to spread.

—A Commercial Convention will meet in St. Louis to-morrow.

—A fire in Ottawa, Canada, on Sunday night, destroyed $40,000 worth of property.

—Mr. Jessie Hunt, a prominent citizen of Baltimore, died on Sunday, aged eighty.

—Alex. Morris has been gazetted Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba and the Northwestern Territories.

—A Tidioute special says the new M. E. church in that place was almost entirely destroyed by fire yesterday evening; loss $45,000; no insurance. The dwelling owned by Judge Harlow was completely destroyed; insured for $2,500.

—A letter has been received, alleged to be from Wendell Phillips, in which it is said the French Communists are entitled to the respect of the civilized world, and that the barbarities practiced on the Communists were a disgrace and shame to humanity.

—In Keokuk, Iowa, on Saturday night two drunken men, named Dixon and Brady, had a discussion on fire arms, when Dixon in a jesting way told Brady to shoot at him and see how he could dodge the shot. Brady drew a revolver and fired twice at Dixon, killing him almost instantly.

—Cape of Good Hope advices by mail state that there has been a fierce battle in the interior between the Kreli people and Tambookers, in which the latter were whipped, and from four hundred to one thousand slaughtered. Many of the natives were armed with Enfield and other European arms.

—Jas. S. Heyward, editor of the *Times*, and Malcolm Browing, editor of the *News*, two weekly papers published in Orangeburg, North Carolina, fought a duel yesterday morning at Sand Bar Ferry. After the exchange of two shots, without bloodshed, the parties saluted and left the field.

—The New York *Herald's* Washington special states that the Credit Mobilier investigation will show that several Congressmen accepted enormous dividends from that concern, which they devoted to charitable and political purposes. They will show that they were not identified with the management of the concern or with legislation for it.

HORACE GREELEY'S MEMORY.

An Open Letter.

To the President of the United States:

SIR: I trust that I shall not be charged with presumption in addressing you on the subject of this letter. I want to thank you, not for any favor bestowed on my friends, or shown to me. Thanks for such things are as common as the benefits they confer. I desire to thank you for something greater and better than these; for something much beyond the ordinary practice of high official life. I desire to thank you for the respect shown by you to Mr. Greeley on his death bed, and for the great respect you paid his character and memory by your attendance on his funeral. It was a great compliment for the head of a great nation to decline attendance on an official festivity while a private citizen was dying, a citizen who had no claims on the sympathy of the official, either of blood or close friendship. It was a much greater compliment when that Executive laid aside the pressing duties of his great office, and, making a night journey of hundreds of miles, at an inclement season, took the place of a private person, among the thousands gathered together to pay the last tribute of respect that the living can pay to the dead. For your remembrance of Mr. Greeley, dying; for your attendance at his funeral; for the tearful attention you paid to the sad ceremonies of that occasion, Mr. President, I thank you with all earnestness. I am very sure that in doing so I but echo the sentiments of hundreds of thousands of your fellow-citizens, whose views of public affairs led them and myself to support, in the late canvass, the man to whom you have shown such high respect. By these acts you have removed prejudices, changed opponents into friends, and shown the world that great official life need not deaden the better instincts of our common humanity. By these acts you have taught the nations that Americans never forget what is due to the character of their great citizens, and that the passions of an exciting political contest never destroy the respect that American partisan opponents have for the good lives of good men.

I thank you, Mr. President, and pray that a long and happy life may await you. And when it shall please the Great Ruler to send the angel of Death to call you hence, may your passage to the tomb be made smooth by the affections of kind friends, and the grave close over you with the heartfelt prayers of your countrymen for your eternal rest. Very respectfully, your friend, SINCLAIR TOUSEY.

New York, Dec. 6, 1872.

OIL ITEMS.

The Fairview *Reporter* says:

BOYER No. 2, McClymonds farm, is pumping 75 barrels a day.

COOPER well No. 3, on the McClymonds farm, was tubed recently, and is now pumping thirty barrels.

THE Banks well, on the Banks farm, Galey & Co. owners, is still producing largely. It is reported at 200 barrels.

MESSRS. SELDIN, TIFFANY & BEMUS commenced a well this week, on the Wilson farm. It is near the Angell No. 2, which is producing 75 barrels a day.

THE Wilson farm is proving to be first-class territory. Several wells on this property are producing in large quantities. A large number of wells are now going down and others are in contemplation.

THE Adams well, at Petrolia City, owned by S. Adams, of Lawrenceburg, was the first well struck in the Petrolia district. Its production has fallen but little below one hundred barrels a day. There is but little doubt of its having paid for itself.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM KENDALL, of Connecticut, died last week, aged eighty-nine years. He was the first inventor and user of circular saws. He also invented the Colt's revolver, Kendall's water-wheel, steel chime bells, and many other improvements too numerous to mention. The only public notice or reward he ever received for his improvements was a gold medal from the Governor of his State for his improvements in circular saws. His inventions and improvements were mostly stolen from him. He met with such poor success in introducing his inventions that he destroyed very many after completing them.

THE OLD WORLD.

GREAT BRITAIN.

DESTRUCTIVE STORM.

LONDON, December 9.—A terrific westerly gale throughout England yesterday prostrated telegraph wires and demolished many buildings. In this city a large number of pedestrians were dashed with violence to the ground; street lamps were blown down and many persons were injured.

There are numerous marine disasters reported. Eight ships were blown ashore at Plymouth. The flag-ship Narcissus parted her moorings at Devonport. The gunnery ship Cambridge and three small merchantmen, in the same harbor, were blown ashore. The crews, however, were rescued.

The telegraph wires in the North of England are not yet repaired. Dispatches from all other sections report great destruction of property. The gale was as severe in Wales and Ireland, and was accompanied with lightning and rain. Many towns are flooded and several vessels are ashore.

At Cork Harbor the damage was very great. The pinnacle of the tower of St. Thomas' church was blown down while the congregation was at worship, and, falling on the roof, crushed through into the body of the church. The congregation became panic stricken and rushed from the building. None were killed.

The Leborna, from Sunderland, for New York, went ashore and was wrecked off Lowestoft. The crew barely escaped. Many of the huts used by the troops at Aldershot were destroyed. The chapel of Oriel College, Oxford University, was badly damaged. The freight depot of the Great Western Railroad was entirely demolished.

LONDON, December 9.—The steamship City of Barton has not yet arrived in port, and much anxiety is felt in regard to her. The harbor of Cardiff is crowded with shipping. Over one hundred sail are lying there wind bound. A number of cottages at Bridgewater were blown down during the storm yesterday.

TRIBUTE TO HORACE GREELEY.

The meeting at the Langham Hotel on Saturday night to take action in regard to the death of Horace Greeley was well attended. Dorsheimer presided, and among those present were Messrs. McCulloch, Rody Altman, Bates Stephannis and Digby Seymour. Dorsheimer, on taking the chair, paid a feeling tribute to the memory of the deceased, whose death he lamented and whose private life he extolled. He deprecated criticism in newspapers at present. A resolution of eulogy and regret was adopted.

GERMANY.

COUNTIES REFORM BILL PASSED.

BERLIN, December 9.—The Counties Reform bill was finally passed in the Upper House of the Diet to-day on a vote of 116 to 9.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES CLOSED.

The Catholic church edifices in this city and in the province of Posen, which belong to the Government, have been closed, because special services were celebrated therein placing the Church of Posen in her present trials under the especial protection of the "Most Sweet Heart of Jesus." The pastors of the churches and teachers of Catholic schools have been summoned to appear before the magistrates for examination on a charge of publicly reading and reciting a pastoral letter issued by the Archbishop of Posen.

PERSONAL.

THE Duke of Sutherland and the Marquis of Bute have each an annual income of $1,500,000.

RALPH WALDO EMERSON had a purse of $10,000 given him just before his recent departure on his Eastern tour.

A MONUMENT to Daniel O'Connell is to be erected in St. Louis by the Knights of St. Patrick at a cost of $25,000.

THE Rev. Mr. Robertson, of Louisville, who has been doing so many naughty things, has now gone into the insurance business.

THURLOW WEED has given up the fragrant "weed" in the seventy-fifth year of his age and the fiftieth year of his "smoking."

MR. MILLER, Prof. Tyndall's private Secretary whom he brought from England, died in Philadelphia the other day of typhoid fever.

A YOUNG sailor boy in Newport, R. I., saved two gentlemen from drowning last Friday, and was offered a glass of beer as his reward.

IT is reported from abroad that Josephine Mansfield lost several thousand dollars, all she had, by the failure of Bowles Brothers & Co.

THE Baroness Burdett-Coutts has expended £250,000 sterling in presenting to the city of London a property to be called Columbia market.

REV. MR. THORN, of Milville, N. J., has within a month married Mr. Jacob Johnson, father, Miss Lizzie Johnson daughter, and Miss Lydia Johnson, granddaughter.

ALL unclaimed Chinese young ladies in Buddhist convents are to be married at public auction by order of the Government, the religious establishments in question having been suppressed.

REV. MR. WATSON, whose death sentence for the murder of his wife was lately commuted to imprisonment for life, is stated by the *British Medical Journal* to show no signs of insanity.

MR. GEORGE Q. CANNON, of Salt Lake City, who claims to be delegate elect to Congress, said in his paper recently that plural marriage is correct; the principle always did exist, and he believes always will.

A LONDON journal winds up its notice of Mr. Stanley's new book by the following conclusions: "The author is, evidently, a rash, impetuous, daring man, with plenty of energy, a fair amount of information, and wonderful vanity.

DAN RICE, John O'Brien and Dr. Spalding have united in the show business, and their "monster aggregation" starts in the Spring. The new company is to carry with it an "itinerant and peripatetic stable.

A MARRIAGE which makes a sensation at this moment (says the Paris *Journal*) is that of the lady who was Princess de la Moskowa by her father and Duchess de Persigny by her husband. In a few days she will only be the wife of a simple advocate.

MAJOR JOSEPH SPRAGUE, of Wooster, Ohio, assembled his little boys and girls together a few days since to see how they were getting on. The Major is ninety-nine, his wife ninety-four, and the united ages of their six children, including an adopted daughter, four hundred and sixty-five years.

THIRTEEN months ago Miss Blanche Fernor, whose father, an Alabama Confederate captain, was killed during the war, dressed herself in men's clothes and left her relatives, determined to earn her bread. She worked for some time as a common laborer, and finally went to New Orleans, where, a few nights since, she was forced to seek shelter at a station-house.

PURDY BEY, the commander of the Egyptian expedition into Central Africa, is said to be an American. It is presumed that he is E. Sparrow Purdy, a native of New York city, and a son of Governor Samuel Purdy, of California. He entered the service of the Viceroy about two years ago as an officer of engineers, and rose rapidly in promotion until he became chief of staff in the engineer department. He was with the California regiment at Ball's Bluff, and subsequently served in many actions. He is thirty-four years of age.

BUFFALOES ON THE RAMPAGE.

Eight of Them Pay a Visit to the Village of Sidney, Neb.

(From the Omaha Bee.)

Last Sunday while the citizens of Sidney were quietly enjoying the repose afforded them by the Sabbath, a drove of eight buffaloes came galloping over the rolling hills, and entered the town, and took a spin through the streets. In less than ten minutes the alarm had become so general that every man, woman and child in the place were armed with shot guns, rifles, revolvers, dirk knives, and pitchforks, while at the barracks every soldier was on duty at once, and prepared to meet and vanquish the foe or die in the attempt. In fact, it was a question of buffalo meat or no buffalo meat with them. The enemy was outflanked, and a detachment of one buffalo became separated from the main body of the monarchs of the plains, and was driven inside the post. Then the grand hurrah began in dead earnest. The soldiers flew around the buffalo in the enclosure, as did the gladiators of old around the infuriated bulls in the amphitheatre. Colonel Dudley, the commandant of the post, acted as Chief Director of the thrilling sport, which lasted some time. The buffalo was finally cornered and killed, after receiving shots too numerous to mention, and after having a bomb shell thrown down his throat and exploded. Music, too, lent its charms to the thrilling scene, as a couple of Italian harpers, who travel on the Union Pacific were engaged in thumbing their instruments during the hunt.

In the meantime, the seven buffaloes in the town were having a red-hot time. One of them effected an entrance into the dining-room of Rumsey's Hotel, and broke several chairs in attempting to sit down at the table to make a square meal of antelope steak. Getting his back up at the toughness of the steak, he overturned the table and smashed the crockeryware. Information had in the meantime been conveyed to Mr. James Rumsey, who was out on the war-path, and he returned to turn the intruder out or serve him up on the half shell. Just as Mr. R. entered one door, Mr. Buffalo ran out of another. R. levelled his gun, but it would not go off, and the buffalo escaped and joined the remaining six, who then turned tail on the town, and cantered over the hills and far away, after having smashed several windows, created an intense excitement, and playing the deuce generally.

Christmas Bells

will soon be ringing as the festal day that is the happiest of all the year is ushered in, and then will come the gift-making and all the pleasurable festivities which make the holiday so bright with happiness. Already those who are wise are making preparations for the occasion, and have begun to lay in their proposed gifts—a fact which accounts for the crowds now daily thronging the jewelry store of Messrs. Hazlett & Kennedy, No. 79 Smithfield street, where a rich holiday assortment of jewelry, silverware and ornamental articles for the household has just been opened. The assortment is especially full and complete even for this house, which has won such a high fame for enterprise, and one can hardly look into the store without instinctively desiring to enter and sending the hand pocketwards. There is nothing in the jewelry line, or watches, clocks and small ornaments that the fancy can desire, that will not be found at Hazlett & Kennedy's, No. 69 Smithfield street—the headquarters for the best of goods at the lowest rates.

BREVITIES.

....The prospect for skating seems good.

....Old Boreas reigned supreme yesterday.

....Quite a change in the weather yesterday.

....Allegheny municipal election occurs to-day.

....Policemen went often to get warm yesterday.

....The State Temperance Convention assembles to-day.

....Muffled throats and red noses were plenty yesterday.

....For amusements see the advertisements under the appropriate heading.

....The Lecture Committee are not discouraged, but propose to make another attempt.

....The health of the city is unusually good at present. There were but fifty-seven death last week.

....Inhabitants of the South Side will sleep more peacefully in the prospect for additional policemen.

....Criminal cases in the city extremely scarce just now. They do it all for us in adjoining counties.

....The painting, "Braddock's Defeat," was exhibited in the reception room of the city building yesterday.

....The livery stable men are preparing for snow so as to make up their losses from the epizootic from sleighing.

....George Reynolds, who is suffering from a sprained ankle, is the twenty-fifth party to use Mayor's Callow's crutches.

....A meeting of the Water Committee of Councils will be held on Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock. It is important that every member should attend.

....A meeting of the Coal and Steamboatmen's Association will be held in the office of Joseph Walton, on Water street, this morning at eleven o'clock.

....The regular monthly meeting of the Allegheny County Prison Society will be held in the parlor of the Young Men's Christian Association Rooms, corner of Sixth and Penn streets, at ten o'clock this morning. All the members are requested to be present.

....The first train over the Warren & Venango Railroad arrived at Titusville on Sunday from Dunkirk, N. Y. The distance over the road from that point is eighty-eight miles, and the run was made in five hours. The train consisted of the engine, baggage car and a passenger coach.

....On the divorce list in the Court of Common Pleas yesterday, was the case of Mary Ann Oehner vs. August Oehner, for desertion; and the case of Wm. H. Husler vs. Jane Husler, for desertion. Both cases were referred back to the Commissioners who had neglected to prepare the decrees.

....The returns made by the several county officers to Controller Warner, for the month of November, is as follows: Sheriff Fleming, $2,608 81; Prothonotary Ross, $2,111.95; Clerk Browne, $1,552.61; District Attorney Bayne, $2,076.00; Register Gray, $415.93; Coroner West, $217.75; Clerk Hilands, $335.58.

....While Mr. Thomas Carroll, his wife and child were driving along Penn avenue in a buggy yesterday afternoon, they were violently run against by a buggy coming from the opposite direction, tearing off two of the wheels, and throwing the lady with the child in her arms between the remaining wheels of the buggy. Fortunately the horse which Mr. C. was driving stopped and did not move, else another frightful accident might have been chronicled; as it was they were not hurt. The driver of the other buggy was arrested and fined five dollars.

....As will be observed our advertising columns are already well filled with the special holiday advertisements of our leading and enterprising wholesale and retail merchants and dealers. This is the very best season of the year for letting the public know what you have on hand for sale, as at Christmas time all, rich and poor, spend more money than usual, for they grow liberal in the joy of their hearts. The GAZETTE is, to-day, one of the very best advertising mediums in the State, and its superior inducements as such should invite all advertisers to try its efficacy in attracting trade to their doors.

....The religious revival at St. Paul's cathedral held by the Redemptionist Fathers, will close to-morrow evening, when the farewell sermon, of exhortation will be delivered, after which papal benediction will be given by Right Rev. Bishop Domenic, to which, according to the belief of the faithful, is attached a plenary indulgence for the remission of the temporal punishment due sin. The mission has accomplished much good and many complete reformations of life among our Catholic people. It is estimated that over ten thousand persons will have received the Holy Sacrament of the Church when the revival closes. This week a similar mission under the auspices of the Paulist Fathers will commence in St. Johns' Catholic Church in Birmingham.

[Communicated.]

Is Not the Mutual Life Insurance Company's Pretended "Reduction in the Cost of Life Insurance a Deception?

To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette:

In your columns this morning appeared a card of F. S. Winston, President of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, headed "*Reduction in the cost of Life Insurance*," followed by a communication from W. H. C. Bartlett, Actuary of said company to F. S. Winston, Esq., President, etc., etc., explaining "*the reasons which have led to the adoption of this important measure*."

Has not the Mutual Life Insurance Company heretofore, as alleged, afforded Life Insurance at its ACTUAL COST, *to them*, returning *annually* when desired the surplus to which each Policy holder was entitled, or paying the same with the sum insured when the Policy became a claim; if so, by what process of financiering can they in the future *reduce* the cost of insurance to *new* members, unless it be done at the expense of the *old ones*. Their learned Actuary admits that the yearly dividends under the new system will be *greatly reduced*, and recommends that the reversionary credits for these dividends be given as heretofore, but that *no use* be made of them till in every instance their present *cash value* shall amount to more than one annual premium; when *that event* occurs, the excess may be available in payment of the premium then due. The existing policy-holders to have the option to leave *their* policies undisturbed and pay their *old rates*, receiving their proportional dividends and reversionary credits (subject to the new arrangement), *or* take out new policies and pay the *new rates* at their then *present age*. "*Provided* they subject themselves to a new medical examination and are *pronounced assurable*." Has not this the appearance of a desperate stroke for new business at the expense of old policy holders. The scheme, if practicable, certainly seems unfair to all existing members, who will have to share a large proportion of the expense in obtaining new ones. And then, again, what will be the situation as regards new policy holders. Supposing there is a reduction of say 20 per cent., it can *only apply in reality* on the *first payment*. Suppose under the old rates the premium on a certain policy is $200, under the new rates it would be $160 on the first payment; the second, and you know not how many future payments, would be the same. Under the old rates, with a premium of $200 paid the first year, your *second payment* at age, say 30 to 35 years, would be $150, third payment $145, and so on, annually decreasing. Taking this view of the subject, which seems the only practical one, *is there*, in reality, any "reduction in the cost of insurance," and does not this look like a deception and a desperate attempt for some purpose unworthy an honorable and trustworthy corporation? Can the Mutual Life make any reduction in the cost of insurance? If so, she has been swindling and deceiving her policy holders for the past twenty-five years. If she cannot, she is attempting a worse deception, in this unjust scheme for obtaining new business, for the expense of doing business at the present time is far in excess of what it has been in years past.

How is this? The circular goes on to state that "by this most desirable plan the company will have within its control a large fund to which it may resort in *time of trouble*, should trouble come to it, while it will avoid the objectionable measure of keeping on hand (what it has not got, and what it could not have on the new plan), a large undivided surplus, in which those who *die* cannot fail to have an interest, whose precise value it would be difficult to ascertain."

A policy does not become a claim until maturity of an endowment, or at death. Can there be any difficulty in ascertaining its precise value in such an event? Certainly there should be none. Has the Company heretofore in their upwards of twenty-five years successful "pioneering," compelled their assured to advance money *beyond* the true cost of insurance, and not returned the same in actual dividends, or paid it back on settlement of the policy? If so, what assurance can we have for the better, under the new system. Can it be their inability to ascertain the *precise value* of their policies, that is the cause of so much trouble and dissatisfaction.

The very plan which the learned Actuary of this self-styled Pioneer Company now, in an underhand way, recommends to the public, of granting insurance at its *actual cost*, has been practiced for more than a quarter of a century by others equally (if not more so) as responsible companies, by allowing a credit of from *twenty* to *fifty* per cent. on the first payment, and are doing so to this day, allowing a portion of the surplus to which each policy is entitled to be applied on the second and subsequent payments, the remaining surplus to be paid at maturity of the policy—the "*precise amount*" of which it has never been difficult to ascertain.

Truly, is not the Mutual Life Insurance Company's pretended reduction in the cost of insurance a *deception?* A POLICY HOLDER.

December 9th, 1872.

Since the above was written I find the following in the New York *World*, signed by three of the most distinguished Actuaries in the country, in reply to a communication addressed to them by the Presidents of several of the leading Life Insurance Companies, of New York, which explains itself:

We are unhesitatingly of opinion that the reduction of premiums as proposed by the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York is unwise, deficient in security, unjust to existing policy-holders, and prejudicial to their rights and interests, and deserving our unqualified disapproval. We are confident, however, if the trustees of the Mutual Life should carefully reconsider this matter, they will see that they are about to take a step unwarranted by their own experience or that of any other company, and will decide to refrain from it.

ELIZUR WRIGHT,
SHEPPARD HOMANS,
D. P. FACKLER,
Consulting Actuaries.

Holiday Goods! Holiday Goods.

A most superb stock of holiday goods in the book and stationery line has been laid in at the house of J. R. Weldin & Co., 101 Wood street. A prominent feature of the assortment is the elegant array of family Bibles—an assortment which has no equal in the city. The stock of goods also embraces other novelties, such as writing desks, gold pens, pencil cases. Every variety of stationery, ornaments for the writing table, a choice selection of holiday gift books, etc., in endless number and all of the most beautiful character. In making up your lists of presents don't forget the goods at 101 Wood street.

Ins. Co. North America.
INCORPORATED 1794.
Assets, - - - $3,500,000.
Boston Losses, - - 900,000.
Hartford Fire Ins. Co.
INCORPORATED 1810.
Assets, - - - $2,345,000.
Boston Losses, - - 500,000.
Pennsylvania Fire Ins. Co.
INCORPORATED 1825.
Assets, - - - $1,300,000.
Boston Losses, - - 300,000.
Policies Written and Losses Paid in these Companies by
WILLIAM L. JONES,
84 Fourth Avenue.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞IN MEMORIAM.

In a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Bank of Pittsburgh, held Monday, December 9, 1872, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, We have learned with sorrowful feelings of the death of our most esteemed friend and colleague, Dennis Leonard, who was closely identified with this institution as a Director for twenty-one years; be it

Resolved, That by this dispensation of Providence, "the old bank" which he loved so well, is deprived of a cherished and steadfast friend, a clear-headed and faithful counsellor, a Director who was always as liberal to the claims of honest industry as he was conservative to the wants of doubtful enterprise.

Resolved, That while we recognize with approbation his well known and prominently marked traits of character, simplicity, sincerity, industry, economy, thrift, self-denial, self-reliance and uprightness, we are impressed with the conviction that the loss of men of such characteristics, in times like these, is like the disappearance of beacon lights from troubled seas.

Resolved, That in this their affliction, our profoundest sympathies go out to the wife and children of our departed friend and colleague, and we tender them our heartfelt condolence.

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be presented to the family of the deceased, and also be published.

Resolved, That we will attend his funeral to-morrow. de10

☞REMOVAL,

OFFICE OF COLEMAN, RAHM & CO.,
TO NO. 77 WATER STREET.
de9:c50

OFFICE PITTSBURGH AND LAKE SUPERIOR IRON CO.,
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 12, 1872.

☞THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF the Pittsburgh and Lake Superior Iron Company have this day levied an assessment of ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE on the Capital Stock of the company, payable at its office, in the city of Pittsburgh, on the 13th day of December proximo.
JAMES W. BROWN, Treasurer.
no13:d42

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

☞DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the offices of their respective Gas Companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, and they shall receive prompt attention.
R. H. SMITH, Inspector.
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DIVIDENDS.

FIFTH AVENUE BANK,
PITTSBURGH, December 3, 1872.

☞DIVIDEND—THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS have this day declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT. on the Capital Stock of this Bank out of the earnings of the last six months, payable on and after Monday, the 9th inst.
F. E. SCHENCK, Cashier.
de3:c31

☞Advertisements on this page under the several heads of "Wanted" "For Sale," "To Let," &c., will be inserted at transient rates only, TEN CENTS PER LINE for each insertion. No advertisement inserted for less than FIFTY CENTS.

WANTS.

WANTED.—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK in a family of two, with no children, and in clean part of the city. Apply at this office. de7:c43

WANTED.—20 GIRLS FOR GENERAL house work and cooking in private families in the city and country. Cooks, Chambermaids, Dining room Girls, Washers and Ironers in laundries, Scrubbers, Colored Servants, Half-grown girls for Hotels, Seminaries, Restaurants and Boarding Houses; several Girls want Sewing and Operating and Light Work. Highest wages paid to competent persons, and families wanting help of any description can be supplied. Girls wanting good situations can procure them at EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, No. 1 Sixth street, first door from Suspension bridge, Pittsburgh. no22

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A NEWSPAPER ROUTE, which pays $20 to $25 per week, will be sold on liberal terms. Enquire at this office or at No. 12 Nixon street, Sixth ward, Allegheny. de10:c60

FOR SALE.—WAREHOUSE NO 56 WOOD street, near Fourth avenue, now occupied by Fahnestock & Murray. Apply to ISAAC M. PENNOCK, No. 59 Fourth avenue. de9:54

FOR SALE—PRICE $1,200—A NICE BRICK HOUSE, four rooms, good cellar and lot, on Quince alley, near Pride street. Inquire of W. WILTON, at McIldowney's paint shop, No. 35 Seventh avenue. de2:151m&w.

FOR SALE.—VALUABLE LIBERTY STREET PROPERTY, between Sixth and Ninth streets. A good business location. For sale by S. L. CUTHBERT, 202 Liberty street. de7

FOR SALE.—A BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE.—A New Double House, built in modern style: each contains 8 Rooms, Pantry, Hall, &c. Also Stable, with a lot of 200 by 140 feet deep, fronting on Park avenue, East Liberty. This Property will be sold with all the ground or less, to suit the purchaser. Apply at 174 Grant street. oc15:b47-TTHS

FOR SALE.—HOUSE AND LOT AT Enon Station, P., Ft. W. & C. R. W. 4 Lots at Jacks Run. 6 Lots on Jackson street. 5 Lots on Buena Vista street. House of 10 Rooms with Modern Improvements on Montrey street. 1 Lot at Fleming Station. Apply to W. P. PRICE, Real Estate and Collection Agency, 34 Ohio Street, Allegheny. no25:095

FOR SALE.

GOLDEN WEDDING and FAMILY CIRCLE WHISKY, free or in bond, all ages to suit the trade. Each barrel shows by Government stamp its age.
JOSEPH FINCH & CO., 189 First avenue, Pittsburgh. my2

FOR SALE.—JOHN M. COOPER'S STEAM PUMPS. For all purposes for which Steam Pumps can be used. These are superior to any used. BOILER FEED PUMPS guaranteed to pump water heated to 212 degrees. Heaters furnished when ordered.
JOHN M. COOPER, 660 Penn street. au8

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned, Administrator cum testamento annexo of the estate of the late Mrs. ELLEN CAMERON, deceased, offer for sale the following described property, belonging to said estate, in the First ward, city of Pittsburgh, one three story BRICK HOUSE, No. 66 Second avenue, containing eleven (11) rooms, well finished; marble mantles in parlor; gas and water through the house; is built in latest modern style, and is elegantly finished; cellars dry and cemented. For further particulars call on or address
R. ROBINSON, Administrator, No. 75 Federal street, Allegheny City, Or 10½ Sixth street, Pittsburgh. oc17:b73

FOR SALE.

BRICK HOUSE

2 story, of 8 Rooms, Bath Room, Kitchen and Finished Attic; Rangein Kitchen; Hot and Cold Water and Gas throughout: Lot 21 feet by 90 feet, adjoining which is a Lot 24 feet front by 90 deep. Situate 68 Boyle street, Allegheny. For terms, inquire of R. ROBINSON, Real Estate Agent, 75 Federal street Allegheny.

Also, LOTS
At Hoboken Station,

Nine miles up West Pennsylvania Railroad. Now is the time to secure a cheap and desirable Lot at this beautiful place. Lots are 25 by 150, 40 by 160 feet, 2½ and 10 acres. Inquire of R. ROBINSON, Real Estate Agent, 75 Federal street, Allegheny city.

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL.—M. B. COCHRAN & CO., dealers in Machinery, 121 Liberty street, have added a machine shop to their business and are prepared to do all kinds of repairing promptly and at lowest rates.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ALMOST CHRISTMAS TIME.

REMEMBER!
R. S. DAVIS & CO.,
175 Liberty Street,
Have an unusually large and varied stock of
ELEGANT BOOKS,
Games and Fancy Articles, etc.
COME BEFORE THE RUSH.
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AT THE
BOSTON ONE PRICE SQUARE
Dealing Clothing Stores,
95 Smithfield Street,
AND
178 FEDERAL STREET,
MORE AND BETTER CLOTHING
Can be bought for the same money than at any other
Store West of the Mountains.

THE MOST SUPERB STOCK
OF
HOLIDAY GOODS
AT
E. P. ROBERTS',
NO. 16 FIFTH AVENUE.
RICH, RARE AND DESIRABLE GOODS.
Ladies' and Gents' Fine Watches, in key and stem winders, Diamond, Cameo, Coral, Turquoise and Pearl Goods, Opera and Guard Chains, Rich Sets of Gold Jewelry, Cable Necklaces, Crosses and Lockets, Chain and Band Bracelets, Gents' Rings in Cameo Amethyst, Ayax and Topaz. Stone and Gold Sleeve Buttons and Studs, Sterling Silver Ware in cases, Gold and Silver Headed Canes, Fine Silver Plated Ware, Vertu, Antique and Gold Bronzes, French Clocks, Fancy Goods, &c., &c.
WE INVITE ALL TO CALL.
PRICES THE LOWEST IN THE CITY.

GREAT CLOSING OUT SALE OF
DRY GOODS.
REALY GOOD BARGAINS.
A BONA FIDE SALE.
Dress Goods for Holiday Presents.
Dress Patterns for Ladies.
Dress Patterns for Children,
Dress Patterns for Servants,
ONLY FOR A FEW WEEKS.

We offer for a few weeks, in order to dispose of our surplus stock of
FALL AND WINTER GOODS,
Our entire stock at an immense reduction in price, being determined to make this what we term it a great sale of Dry Goods. Our stock is unusually large and comprises every grade of goods, and bargains can be had in every department.

DEPARTMENT SPECIALTIES.

BLACK ALPACA DEPARTMENT.	At 25c. At 31c. At 37c. At 45c. At 50c.	All Reduced From Higher Priced Goods.
Low Priced Dress Goods DEPARTMENT.	Yard Wide Chintzes, Poplin Stripes, Poplin Plaids, 28 Inch Poplins, Good Width Dress Goods,	12 1-2c. 12 1-2c. 15c. 20c. 25c.
Fine Dress Goods DEPARTMENT.	Silk Stripe Poplins, All Silk and Wool Poplins, Corded Velour Repps, All Wool Repps, Satines, All Wool,	37c. 50c. 50c. 50c. 50, 60 and 75c.
Silk Department.	BLACK SILKS, BLACK SILKS, BLACK SILKS, BLACK SILKS, BLACK SILKS, BLACK SILKS,	$1.00 1.25 1.50 1.75 2.00 2.25
DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.	Best Quality Prints, Best Quality Bleached Muslin, Best Quality Brown Sheeting, Good Unbleached Bleached Muslin, Good Brown Muslin, 5-4 Bleached Muslin,	10c. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
Flannel Department.	28 Inch Country Flannels, 24 Inch Country Flannels, Best Country Flannels, Red Yellow and White Flannels, White Country Flannels,	[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 37c.
Shawl Department.	Everything in this Department has been marked down especially for this sale to prices 20 per cent. lower than ever before sold.	

Extra Good Bargains, all Reduced.

COME EARLY IN THE DAY.
Come Before the Choicest Goods are Sold.
A. W. ERWIN & CO.,
172 AND 174 FEDERAL ST.,
ALLEGHENY CITY.

JONATHAN GALLAGHER,
Office for Purchase and Sale of
REAL ESTATE
OF ALL KINDS,
47 East Diamond Square,
ALLEGHENY CITY, PA.

WANTED.
RAGS! RAGS! RAGS!
The highest price paid for good rags, large or small quantities, at
H. R. McClellan & Co.,
389 PENN STREET.
We have on hand the largest stock of BROOM, BROOM MATERIAL and WRAPPING PAPER in the city, to which we call the attention of the trade. Call and see us.
H. R. McCLELLAN &CO

HOLIDAY GOODS.
W. W. WATTLES,
JEWELER,
No. 22 Fifth Avenue,
PITTSBURGH.
FORMERLY 30 FIFTH AVENUE.
Having removed to the above stand, I am enabled to display a larger stock of goods, and [illegible] Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Silverware, Bronzes, Gold Chains, Fine Jewelry, Fancy Goods, French Clocks, &c. I invite your attention. Prices always as low as elsewhere. W. W. W.

FOR SALE.
[illegible] Indiana White Wheat. [illegible]
HITCHCOCK, McCREERY & CO.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROCLAMATION.

City of Allegheny, ss.

I, A. P. CALLOW, Mayor of the City of Allegheny, [illegible] TUESDAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1872, [illegible]

[illegible]

A. P. CALLOW, Mayor.

Adjourned Orphans' Court Sale.

By virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court of Allegheny county, No. 8, June Term, 1872, estate of A. C. Alden, deceased, and pursuant to adjournment, there will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, December 20, 1872, the following real estate in Allegheny City, to wit: Two contiguous lots, Nos. 70 and 71, in Geo. B. Johnston's plan, [illegible] feet on Esplanade street, and extending through to James street 100 feet. On the former is a two-story brick dwelling house of eight rooms—No. 66 on Esplanade street. On the latter is a two-story brick house of six rooms—No. 62 on Esplanade street, and a two-story brick house, with frame back building—No. 227 James street. Also, a lot on the S. E. corner of Federal street and an alley 20 feet wide. [illegible] Federal street. Terms—One-third cash on confirmation of sale, and the balance in two equal annual payments, with interest semi-annually, secured by bond and mortgage on the premises. A deposit of $500 on each lot will be required when the property is knocked off, to secure compliance with the terms of sale. Sale will commence at [illegible] No. 66 Esplanade street, at 10 A. M.

D. W. ELDER,
TRUSTEE TO EFFECT SALE.
No. 138 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh.

GEORGE W. BIGGS,
159 Smithfield St.,
Four Doors above Sixth avenue, offers for the
HOLIDAYS,
A large and elegant stock of
Ladies' Gold Watches,
DIAMOND, STONE, CAMEO AND
GOLD SETS,
DRESS AND BAND
BRACELETS,
PENDANTS, LOCKETS
AND
FANCY GOODS.

NEW CROP
N. O. SUGAR,
PRIME AND CHOICE,
First of the Season.
In store and for sale by
ALLEN KIRKPATRICK & CO.,
Wholesale Grocers and Seed Dealers,
271 Liberty Street.

G. W. DOLLMAN, Pres. J. C. KILGORE, Supt.
ECLIPSE
STEAM
COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
Manufacturers of
[illegible]
STEAM BOILERS,
2 to 1,000 Horse Power.
General Office, No. 87 Wood Street.

NOVELTY WORKS.
Dissolution of Partnership.
The firm of MOORHEAD, ADAMS & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Calvin Adams retiring. [illegible]
J. K. MOORHEAD,
CALVIN ADAMS,
M. K. MOORHEAD,
JOHN L. BOYD.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 7, 1872.
The business of this establishment will be continued as heretofore under the firm name of MOORHEAD, BOYD & CO.
J. K. MOORHEAD,
JOHN L. BOYD,
M. K. MOORHEAD.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.
We have this day, December 9th, 1872, associated with us in business, CALVIN ADAMS, formerly of the Pittsburgh Novelty Works. The name and style of the firm as heretofore,
JARVIS & ADAMS.
JARVIS & ADAMS, [illegible]
STEPHEN JARVIS,
S. JARVIS ADAMS,
CALVIN ADAMS.

FREE LUNCH!
On Tuesday, Dec. 10,
I will give a FREE LUNCH, and I want to see all my old customers and the public in general on that day at my house.
Capt. B. Gallisaith,
DIAMOND ALLEY.

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R. A. HALL,
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THE bill to confer enlarged privileges on the masses in Prussia has passed to its third reading, and may be regarded as a law. Its passage ends the contest between the King and the upper House of the Landtag, and is favorable to the people. We have stated, heretofore, the merits of the bill, and merely record, here, our gratification at its passage.

THE New York Stock Board, finding that legal remedies cannot be made to reach the cases of such parties as Jay Gould, have taken action on their own behalf. They propose to adopt stringent measures to prevent the locking up process, and avoid such disasters as recently occurred to the market, on account of the corner in North-western.

THE letter of Schurz to Thurman, defining his political position is regarded as rather ludicrous by the press generally. The point of his definition is, that he is not a Democrat, and that he does not fully agree with the Republican party,—hence he stands, "grand, gloomy and peculiar," among his associates of the Senate. The great difficulty is, Carl doesn't just know which side of the fence he is on.

THE Revenue Assessors are said to be inveterately opposed to the abolition of their sinecures,—which is natural enough. The Senate is credited with a purpose to sustain their demands, which is neither natural nor probable. The arrangement now proposed looks to the retention of the best Assessors, as well as collectors in the public service while it dispenses with the less valuable class. Certainly the patriotic citizens who have been honored and blessed by their government will not oppose the reduction of its annual expenditures.

THE inauguration of President Lerdo as President of the Republic of Mexico, may be regarded as one of the happiest events for that country which has lately occurred. Whatever merits President Juarez may have been possessed of, his elevation to the Presidency for a third term gave rise to disturbances and revolutions, which kept the country at unrest. Now capital is flowing into the country, to build railroads and develop improvements. Peace reigns, and there is every indication that ere long the country will show signs of true and rapid progress.

THE payment of $2,476,213.50 on our State debt during the year past, is in itself an agreeable event, and argues careful management of the State finances by Messrs. Hartranft and Mackey. They have really devoted, not merely great care, but a high order of ability to the duties assigned them. These regular, steady reductions of the debt, from year to year, point to the time as not far distant, when the entire debt will be paid. A feature of republican management has been, the reduction of our State debt, except during the rebellion, while the democracy have always increased it.

THE special committee appointed by Congress to consider the question of making the Louisville Canal a free work and report all the facts, are Messrs. Negley, Conger, and Holma. We understand that Mr. Negley is preparing an elaborate report showing the importance of the free navigation of the Ohio and Missisippi rivers and their tributaries, and hopes to have this important question considered and acted on during this winter. The river and coal men are well pleased with the work being done by Mr. Negley, from this district, and are quite sanguine that he will be successful in his efforts.

IN ANOTHER column, we publish an address by the Centennial Commission. Much interest is felt that Allegheny county, the great manufacturing centre of the State, should be interested in this exposition, and that her manufactures should be exhibited through it, to the world. She is also urgently appealed to, to take up the full number of shares of the stock allotted her—68,000, at ten dollars per share. The stock will be on sale at our banks, who render their services gratuitously. It will be borne in mind that the stock purchased entitles to privileges during the Exposition, which will fully compensate for the outlay. We hope our citizens will give this subject their cordial attention.

A SPASM of firmness, in New York, which led to the execution of a murderer on Friday last, has inspired the hope that other criminals in that city may meet with justice. Capital punishment has been obsolete there for some time, and the result is, not only an alarming increase of murders, but a letting down of the public conscience in regard to the crime. It is quite evident that in several recent instances, the crime was committed under motives of revenge or of notoriety, and with a decided belief on the part of the criminals that they would not suffer for their crimes. There are yet about thirty cases of murder awaiting disposition,—some convicted and sentenced, others untried.

THE drawing of the Kentucky Lottery shows how many there are who are disposed to cultivate fortune by means of lucky ventures. Seventeen thousand dollars is the amount reported to have been invested in Pittsburgh, in this gambling scheme. We have not seen as yet, that any have drawn prizes, small or great. This is not, however, the greatest evil. The propensity to gamble, to throw away money, in the hope of getting a fabulous sum, in return for the investment of a few dollars, is the great evil. It stimulates other forms of gambling, and the propensity to get money by other than honest means. It is a curse to society, and the foundation for recklessness and unthrift.

THE situation of the parties struggling for power at New Orleans is interesting, at least. Governor Warmoth promised the State to the Liberals, and to make good his promise found himself compelled to throw out the negro vote, and to do various other singular things. In order not to be impeded in his operations, he turned out several members of the Return Board, and substituted others in their places. By such devices he managed to count in a legislature to suit himself, and to control in his interest the count of the popular vote. But Judge Durell, of the United States Court, took action in the case, restored the proper Board, which made a recount, including such colored votes as were sustained by affidavits, and the result is the election of the Republican State ticket by majorities ranging from fourteen thousand to twenty thousand. The Legislature, under this count, is also heavily Republican, and measures are taken by the United States Courts to sustain this count. In the meantime Warmoth's Legislature have appealed to the President for aid. He will leave the entire conflict with the courts, merely sustaining the mandates of the United States courts, but taking no part in the conflict raging. It is to be regretted that there is not strength enough among the better element in Louisiana, to remedy matters. But so many corrupt laws have been enacted, and those in power are so skillfully unscrupulous, that it is nearly impossible for the people, under the ordinary forms of law, to do anything with them. Their audacity in wrong-doing is illustrated by their deliberately putting aside a Republican majority of nearly twenty thousand votes. Were it not for this, we would regret the interference of the United States courts, but as matters stand, it is best that some legal source of relief be found. We hope, therefore, that the mandates of the United States courts will be enforced, and the corrupt ring, at New Orleans, be broken up. The latest intimations refer confidently to Warmoth's arrest. He is a skillful, audacious man, and it will not do to count on his defeat till he is actually driven from power.

MR. SUMNER'S effort to strike out, so far as possible, all evidences of our late civil war, argues a demented intellect rather than a broad benevolence. It is astonishing that so careful a student of history as he has been should imagine that such stupendous events as occurred during the progress of our civil war, can be turned aside or brushed away from memory. So far as the ornamental reminiscences of the rebellion are concerned, they are matters of taste, and should be treated as such. If the people, North or South, choose to ornament cemeteries, build monuments, or decorate graves, let them do it; if the taste is wrong, it will rectify itself,—if right, it will pass into a permanent custom. Nor do we think that the better classes South regard the recognition of the war as an insult to them. Whether they do or not, the war occurred, and its records must stand.

TWO SIDES TO THE PICTURE.

We learn by the St. Paul papers that colonists in some of the frontier counties of Minnesota—farmers, we mean—are suffering from the want of fuel. The railroads relied on for supplies—think of farmers getting their supplies of fuel by railroad—are snowed up, and coal is held as high as nine dollars per ton and wood at six dollars and a half a cord. Great suffering has resulted. New settlers in a new country are not generally overburdened with ready money; the first few years is a constant struggle to keep the wolf from the door; and when they are compelled to pay the prices as stated for fuel, in an arctic climate where the consumption is necessarily great, we do not see how deplorable suffering can be averted. The Governor of Minnesota has received piteous applications from the frontier for aid, and has gone to Washington to secure assistance from the general government if possible. We submit this item to the consideration of all farmers comfortably situated in Pennsylvania, who are now thinking of making up one of the crowd of emigrants leaving our State every spring for the far west, enticed thereto by glowing narratives of the charms and advantages of a new country. The business of advertising for settlers, as now conducted by Western States and Territories, land grant railroads, and real estate dealers leaves but a poor chance of ascertaining the sober truth unless by a bitter experience. Every year people are deceived into leaving comfortable homes at the east, where they have every advantage resulting from a compact population, for the wild chances of a successful and stirring career in the west. Possibly they get excitement in abundance, but success pecuniarily, or a tithe of the comfort abandoned with their eastern homes, is rarely achieved; in most cases never. We do not deny that there are great opportunities in all new countries, but with them come great trials. The Irish, Scotch, German or Scandinavian emigrant will almost invariably improve on his past situation by taking up a homestead in the west, but the home condition of the Pennsylvania emigrant is not that of the European, hence what is an advance for the one is a serious loss to the other. The rough side of life in a new country is rarely presented, or has a glamour of romance and excitement thrown over it, that rather adds than detracts from supposed advantages. Facts such as we have stated above about the scarcity and high price of fuel, in one of the most attractive of the western States, should make all think twice before they gave up their pleasant Pennsylvania homes for the uncertainties and trials of frontier life. What we say particularly applies to farmers, mechanics and business men, who usually settle with communities, large or small, have no such bitter experience; but the farmer element must be content to give up not only old associations, but deprive himself and family, in a great measure, of churches, schools, and congenial neighbors. We are induced to write this by a disposition we see manifested in some of our State exchanges, to drive, as it were, our Pennsylvania farmers into a western exodus next spring, by painting the glories of prairie life. It all reads very well, but prairie life, with the mercury ten degrees below zero, and fuel high of price and difficult to obtain, is about as severe a joke as the search after the open polar sea.

STATE NEWS.

THE Clarion *Republican* came to us this week, greatly enlarged and improved.

THE Plumer (Venango county,) hotel and five acres of land, which were once sold for $95,000, were recently disposed of for $2,550.

MRS. JONES and Mrs. Shaffer were taken before Judge Trunkey at Franklin, last week, on a charge of infanticide, and committed for trial.

THE completion of the new bridge was celebrated on the night of the 5th inst., by a grand banquet at the Wilson House, Parker's Landing, Pa.

A COAL boat belonging to Mr. John Penny was broken from its moorings in the Yough, on Monday night last, by the ice pressure, and sunk shortly after entering the Monongahela.

ON Sunday morning last the barn of Mr. John Wilson, of Lawrence county, was entirely consumed by fire, with the products of his farm for the last year, together with three horses and one cow. Loss about $4,000. But little insurance.

A BOY named Wm. White, aged about 14 years, living with George Kelso, in Lawrence county, was kicked by a horse, on Sunday morning, the 24th ult., while leading it to water, from the effects of which he died on Wednesday night of last week.

ONE day last week a small child of Mr. Arthur Brown, of West Elizabeth, was left alone in the house by its mother for a short time, and in playing before the fire its clothes became ignited, and before it could be extinguished the little thing was so badly burned that it cannot possibly live.

ON Sunday morning, December 3d, a fire broke out in the one-story building owned by Mr. Wm. Seem, in Clarksville, Mercer county, destroying it entirely. It was occupied by J. H. Cooper's notion store and James Woodling's shoe shop. Mr. Woodling managed to save the greater portion of his stock.

WE learn from the *Conneautville Courier* that Mr. Ezra Waite, living in the south-western portion of Greenwood township, near Porter's Corners, committed suicide on Friday, by cutting his throat with a butcher-knife. He had been sick with the typhoid fever for several days, and committed the rash act while under an attack of temporary insanity caused by the disease. Mr. W. was about 35 years of age, and a highly respected citizen. He leaves a wife to mourn his loss.

THE members of the Beaver Presbyterian church, with a number of other friends not connected with the church, on Wednesday night of last week, made a visit to the residence of their pastor, Rev. D. P. Lowary, and presented him with a purse, containing one hundred and twenty-five dollars. The presentation was made by John F. Dravo, Esq., in a neat address, to which the surprised and happy recipient responded by some touching and appropriate remarks. After spending an hour or so in agreeable conversation, the company departed.

ON Friday evening, Dec. 1st, Mrs. Mary Horner, wife of John Horner, of New Castle, was so badly burned that she died in a few hours. The accident happened by her clothes taking fire while the other members of the family were in another part of the house. Every effort was made to extinguish the flames as soon as discovered, but it was too late to save her life, so serious was the nature of the burns. Mrs. H. was a lady highly esteemed by all her acquaintances, and respected by her neighbors. She had been unwell for some time previous to the accident. Mrs. H. was about 72 years of age.

THE *Venango Citizen* says: On Monday evening, as a man named Brownell was returning to Tidioute from Triumph, when near Babylon was accosted by two men, who asked him to ride; he told them to jump in. They remarked upon the roughness of the road and for fear of falling out passed their arms around his back. One of them then suddenly threw a horse banket over Brownell's head, bent him backward over the seat. At the same time both jumped upon him, pinioning him to the seat with their knees; they then proceeded to rifle his pocket book, containing $256, and a revolver. Without attempting to go further in their search, they sprang from the wagon and ran off over the hill.

THE Sunbury *American*, of December 8th, says: On Tuesday evening last, Mr. Reuben Garinger, of Upper Augusta township, came to town for the purpose of making settlement with our borough council for work done on a contract in filling up and grading Fifth street in the borough. After 9 o'clock Mr. Garinger left the Council room to go to his home, about three miles below the place. The night was extremely dark, and Mr. Garinger is supposed to have taken down the railroad to shorten the distance. In crossing the railroad bridge spanning the Shamokin creek at the lower end of the borough, and when nearly across, he fell through, striking his head against the timbers, a height of about fifteen feet, and breaking through the ice into the creek. The watchman, stationed a short distance from the bridge, hearing groans, made search, and found Mr. Garinger, his head only visible above the surface of the ice, and in a dying condition. In falling his head came in contact with the supporting timbers, fracturing his scull to such an extent as to allow his brains to ooze therefrom. He was immediately taken out, but only survived about fifteen minutes after, when his body was taken to his home.

LIZZIE ALBERT, aged fifteen years and five months, was burned so seriously in Johnstown, on Thanksgiving morning, as to produce her death on Saturday evening. The following are the circumstances connected with her sad death: About two weeks ago she left the home of her parents, near Latrobe, for the purpose of visiting an aunt of her's named Mrs. Kohler, residing in Johnstown. On Thanksgiving morning the family went to church, leaving Miss Albert in charge of the house. She attempted to light a fire in the drawing-room, and the kindling not igniting as rapidly as desired, she commenced pouring some carbon oil upon it from a can, when an explosion followed, and the burning oil immediately enveloped her clothing. She immediately ran to the street and commenced rolling in the snow, and by that means extinguished the flames. Several persons who ran to her assistance were under the impression that although her clothing was almost consumed she was not seriously burned, as she walked unattended into the house. She immediately took her bed, however, and after lingering in great agony until Saturday evening, expired. It is presumed that she inhaled the flames from her burning clothing.

A ROARING LION AT TAOS.

He Devours Sheep and Hogs and Puts the People in a Fright Generally.

The people in the nighborhood of Taos are just now very much exercised over the presence of some large, wild animal which roams the woods at night and is making havoc with the sheep and cattle of the neighborhood. Its presence was first known on last Saturday, one week ago, when it entered the village of Wallace Station, a little town a few miles from Taos, in the evening just after dark, and killed five or six dogs, and during the night ate the heads of two or three of them. Since that time it has been frequently seen in the neighborhood of Taos, invariably just about dark, but early enough to plainly distinguish its form and size, although those who have seen it cannot tell its color. It is said to be three feet in height, and six or seven feet long. One gentleman who has seen it and examined its track says that it is a genuine California lion. One night last week a coon hunting party came upon it and discovered it in the top of a tree. The California lions are said to be good climbers.

Mr. W. A. Brooker, a farmer, living within about a mile of Taos, gave us the facts, and said that on last Thursday night, while carrying a sack of flour through the woods from Taos' to his house, he met the animal in a ravine a short distance from his house. Both he and it stopped—he threw down his sack of flour and gave a yell. The animal stood perfectly still and looked coolly at him, its large eyeballs glittering in the dark. Mr. Brooker gave another yell, and the animal loped slowly away, making the brush crack as it went. In the morning its tracks in the light snow were examined, and the points of its paws were longer than a man's hand when spread out. Its huge claws showed by their marks to be two inches long.

At present it contents itself with killing hogs and sheep. Mr. Brooker informs us that his neighbors intend trying to capture the fellow, both to save their stock, and, as a matter of safety, to themselves, as any one passing through the woods at night would be a tempting meal for his savage lionship. Exactly what it is, no one knows; but that it is some very large, wild animal, not common in this section of the State, is undoubtedly a fact. We shall probably hear more from it again.—*St. Joseph Herald.*

1776—The Centennial Celebration—1876.

An Address to the People of the State of Pennsylvania from the Corporators, for Pennsylvania, of the U. S. Centennial Board of Finance.

As citizens of the State in which the nation has ordained that the Centennial Exhibition commemorative of our independence is to be held, the opportunity is now presented to you to take your share in the responsibility resting upon the people of the United States to see that the exhibition shall be commensurate with the events it is to celebrate and the progress it is to exemplify.

Since the "World's Fair," held at London in 1851, international exhibitions have been recognized as uniting the most potential and far-reaching agencies for promoting the progress and the material interests of mankind ever devised, and they are always especially beneficial to the country in which they are held. The late Wm. H. Seward, when Secretary of State, said of them, in communicating to Congress the U. S. Reports on the Paris Exposition of 1867:

"Their beneficent influences are many and widespread; they advance human knowledge in all directions. Through the universal language of the products of labor the artisans of all countries hold communication; ancient prejudices are broken down; nations are fraternized; generous rivalries in the peaceful fields of industry are excited: the tendencies to war are lessened, and a better understanding between capital and labor is fostered. * * * * One of their most salutary results is the promotion of an appreciation of the true dignity of labor and its paramount claims to consideration as the basis of national wealth and power. Such exhibitions have become national necessities and duties."

Great Britain, France and other leading powers have instructed and entertained the world with such exhibitions; Austria is rapidly completing one which will open in 1873, and it is eminently appropriate that America should assert her place in this respect, as she has in others, among the powers most actively contributing to the advancement of mankind.

At a meeting of this body held in the city of Philadelphia, on the 7th instant, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That all national banks, and other incorporated banking or savings institutions in the State, are hereby requested and authorized to act as agents to receive subscriptions to the stock, and that in counties where no incorporated banks or savings institutions exist, the corporators representing such counties shall designate private banks or bankers to act as agents for such purpose, and each corporator may designate to the Executive Commissioner such private banks in his district as he may deem advisable. All agents appointed shall receive subscriptions in accordance with the rules adopted by the United States Centennial Commission.

It is confidently hoped and believed that all agents so appointed will cheerfully accept the patriotic duty for which they have been selected, and in this way aid the important work. In compliance with the resolution, those agents will be promptly supplied with subscription books in which the people may subscribe for stock.

We are now called upon to take our quota of the stock, which has been apportioned according to the act of Congress of June 1, 1872, on the basis of population, and amounts to 91,341 shares at ten dollars per share, calling for $913,410, the population of the State being 3,521,951.

It is provided by the act of Congress that, at the close of the exhibition, all the property is to be converted into cash, and after payment of liabilities, the net assets are to be divided among the stockholders. No flattering promises, however, are made of great prospective profits from the investment in this stock. The promptings of patriotism, and a no less elevated motive, should actuate us.

Money is the first and immediate requisite for the successful prosecution of the vast labors of the Centennial Commission; and it must be secured within the proper time, for the exhibition is to be international, and it is to represent the universal range of human industry and art, and all natural products, as well as all the varied results of human skill, thought, and imagination.

Let us, therefore, arise to the work as one body, with such an organized movement as will inspire a generous emulation and secure the entire subscription for our quota of stock in the shortest possible time.

The eyes of the world are upon this, the chosen State, which, above all, should be true to its heritage of that holy temple of freedom, Independence Hall, the sacred spot from which emanated that sublime declaration, the cornerstone of our nationality and progress, the palladium of our liberties and our rights.

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GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

NAPLES has a petroleum well.

AUSTRALIA is mining white coal.

SAGE green gloves are said to be poisonous to the flesh.

The Erie Canal is damaged $50,000 yearly by muskrats.

THE "Laura Fair shooting gallery" is a Chicago institution.

IN Frankfort-on-the-Main no murder has been committed for more than one hundred years.

AT the late Presidential election every vote in Presque Isle county, Michigan, was cast for Grant.

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A COLORED resident of Port Jervis has no ribs. All the respectable citizens and most of the clergy of the place are willing to give certificates of this fact, but none of them have explained what keeps him from collapsing when he buttons his waistcoat.

THE population of the globe is usually estimated at 1,000,000,000. A new and careful estimate, based on the very latest returns, has just been published at Gotha by two competent German statisticians, who calculate the present number of the earth's inhabitantt at 1,377,000,000 of souls.

THE Attorney General's opinion as to the right of postmasters to suppress immoral matter going through the mails does not prevent its suppression when there is positive evidence of its indecency, but merely declares that they have no right to break open sealed matter upon "suspicion."

A DISEASE has broken out among the cats in Springfield. Some tyro in word-making calls it "catalepsis cataracts," whiah is not good even for a first attempt. The symptoms of the malady are a swelling of the head, dimness of the sight, and a general paralysis of the body, but there is no hope that it will be generally fatal.

AN encouraging piece of news is contained in some figures, just published, comparing the attendance in the schools of Virginia in 1870 and 1871. In the former year the whole number of pupils was 50,775, in the latter, 157,841—an increase of over 200 per cent. This is 13 per cent. of the entire population of the State.

NEW YORK people are just now in trouble about their coffee. A chemical analysis has revealed to their astonished senses the fact that the beverage served at the principal hotels and restaurants of that city is a strong infusion of roasted beans, chicory, sweet potato peelings, with a trace of burnt tobacco stems to put a head on it.

IN a recent discourse on the subject of horse races, Mr. Beecher said: "As crows to the corn field, or vultures to their prey; as flies to summer sweet, so to the annual races flow the whole tribe of gamesters and pleasure-lovers. It is the Jerusalem of wicked men; and thither the tribes go up like Israel of old, but for a far different sacrifice. No form of social abomination is unknown or unpracticed."

AN effort is making to unite Denmark, Sweden, and Norway under one common head. At the present time the people of the above named countries favor the project, and it is also supported by the King of Denmark, and the ruler of Sweden and Norway. King Oscar, who has but lately succeeded to the throne left vacant by his brother, King Charles XV., has repeatedly expressed his willingness to waive his right to the crown, if, by such abdication, the union could be accomplished.

LAST Friday afternoon, while Mrs. C. C. Bradbury of Sherman, Maine, was at work up stairs with her little girl, about eighteen months old, was running about the room, the child, unobserved, pushed a box which covered a ventilation hole, fell through the ceiling over the kitchen stove, and fell through on to the stove, which was at the time heated nearly red hot for the purpose of ironing. The child lay upon the stove until Mrs. Bradbury ran down the stairs and through another room and took her off. The child was fearfully burned, yet it is hoped she may recover.

THE remains of a woman were found in Orford, New Hampshire, on the twenty-sixth of November. They were of a person of short statue, short hair, low forehead, and with one decayed tooth. Only one stocking was found, and very little wearing apparel. Months must have elapsed since death. The remains were found lying at the foot of a large birch tree, and evidently one hand was under the head, which rested on a large root of the tree. The remains were carefully gathered up, and await further examination. It is a mystery, as no person has been missing from that neighborhood for years.

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Balance, -	4,250,000

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PROPOSALS.

NOTICE.
To Printers and Binders.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY CO., }
PITTSBURGH, PA., December 7, 1872. }

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until the 26th inst. inclusive, for

PRINTING AND BINDING 104 Office Duplicates, 165 School Duplicates and 104 Collection Duplicates, for the year 1873.

Specimens of the work required to be done can be seen in the office of the County Commissioners.

HENRY WARNER,
de9:e5 Controller.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE PURchase of the following property occupied by BALYA & ROBERTSON, at Allegheny City, Pa., are solicited, and will be received by the underssgned up to 12 M., December 18, 1872. Lease of ground upon which buildings stand and yard belonging to same, cooper shops, barrel house, dry house, with steam pipe complete, office building, factory building, including engine and boiler house, two boilers and engine, all water and steam connections and fixtures pertaining to boilers and engine, pumps, line shaft and pulleys, including hangers, &c., or everything except machinery, stock, and cooper tools, now upon premises, situated at 336 Penn avenue.

TERMS—One-third down, one-third in ninety days, and one-third in four months.

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December 4, 1872. de7:e43

OFFICE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS, }
MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, Nov. 27, 1872 }

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office

UNTIL FOUR O'CLOCK P. M.,

Tuesday, Dec. 10, 1872,

For Building Distributing Reservoir on Herron's Hill, Thirteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh.

Plans for the same can be seen and Specifications and forms of Proposal obtained on application at the office of the the Chief Engineer.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids, should they deem it for the best interests of the city.

D. W. C. CARROLL,
ROBERT WATSON,
HILL BURGWIN,
S. BEYMER,
F. H. LAUFMAN,
Board of Water Commissioners.
JOHN ROSS, Secretary. no30:e7

OFFICE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS, }
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 16, 1872. }

PROPOSALS FOR
CAST IRON WATER PIPES.

Sealed Proposals, endorsed "Proposals for Cast Iron Water Pipes," will be received at the office of the Board of Water Commissioners, of the City of Pittsburgh, until 2 o'clock P. M.,

Thursday, Dec. 12th, 1872.

Specifications and blank forms of proposals can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Commissioners, Municipal Hall.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids, should they deem it to be for the interest of the city.

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LEGAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT letters testamentary have been granted to the undersigned Executors of the estate of ISAIAH DICKEY deceased, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims will present them without delay at the office of Robert Dickey & Co., No. 56 Water street.

R. S. WARING,
ROBERT DICKEY,
Executors.
no5:d6-T

ESTATE OF CHARLES W. NORDSIEK, deceased. Letters testamentary on the Estate of CHARLES W. NORDSIEK, deceased, late of the Sixth ward, city of Pittsburgh, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement, to F. D. GERST, corner of Elm street and Fifth avenue, or to J. F. SCHROEDER, No. 68 Wood street.
PITTSBURGH, November 30, 1872. no19:d6-T

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, December 9, 1872.

There was no development of a startling nature in local money matters to-day. It might very appropriately be called an even day, for if there was nothing gained in the way of ease, there certainly was nothing lost. Towards the close of bank hours there were some signs of continued improvement, which will likely be made more manifest to-morrow. The intense cold weather interferes considerably with outside operations, and tends to lessen the demand for loans, which has already been noticed as having largely fallen off. New enterprises are scarcely thought of now. The general disposition shown is to settle up all old scores before doing anything in a new way that will incur debt or responsibility. Caution is the word, and most every one seems to be making arrangements to keep themselves free, not only from danger, but also from any possible annoyance in financial matters. This mode of procedure is safe and sure, but it interferes very much with trade, for which the month in most branches promises to be less than an average, when it would have been much in excess had anything like the comfortable condition of the money market last summer continued up to this time. The last bank statement for the year has not as yet been called for, but it is daily expected. The banks are anxiously awaiting it, as they would feel much more at liberty to increase their lines if the statement was not held in abeyance over them. The many propositions being suggested for the relief of the financial troubles and the putting of monetary affairs upon a more sure and enduring basis have not as yet been sufficiently matured as to enable one to form a judgment as to what plan or plans are best. As before urged, the want of immediate action is what the industrial interests are suffering from just now. It is most earnestly desired by business men throughout the country that before adjourning for the holidays that the members of Congress will, by their action, give some tangible proof that the interests of the community are not to be overlooked, or that the people whom they represent are to suffer the consequences of a disorder in money matters on account of their willful hesitation or careless neglect. Now is the time to act, and provide at once for the present. A re-issue of the retired currency will take care of the present emergency.

In real estate and local securities there has been no movement lately of any moment.

Geo. B. Hill & Co., banker and brokers, No. 56 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of bonds and stocks from their latest advices by telegraph:

	Monday.
Gold.	113
U. S. Sixes—1881.	113¾
" " —coupons.	117⅛
5-20—1862	113⅛
5-20—1864.	113⅛
" 1865.	113⅝
" 1865 new.	115⅛
" 1867.	116⅛
" 1868—coupons.	116⅛
10-40s.	109⅛
" —coupons.	109⅝
Currency 6's.	112½

RAILWAYS.

New York Central.	95¾
Erie.	52⅜
Michigan Southern.	94
Cleveland & Pittsburgh.	87¾
Rock Island.	113¾
North Western, Common.	87⅛
Pacific Mail.	79⅛
Western Union Telegraph.	77
Ohio & Mississippi.	46⅜
Union Pacific.	37⅝
Toledo & Wabash.	69⅛
Fort Wayne.	93
Adams Express.	93
American Express.	65¼
United States Express.	81
Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express.	88
Harlem.	117¼

Messrs. Gilbough, Bond & Co., brokers and bankers and members of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange, furnish the following quotations of the prices to-day of the most active stock:

Penna. Central.	56⅛
Reading R. R.	58⅛
United Co's New Jersey	122⅛
Oil Creek & Alleg'y R. R.	35⅝
Lehigh Valley R. R.	58⅛
Philadelphia & Erie	26⅞
Lehigh Navigation.	37⅛
Pittsburgh City 5's	75
A. V. R. R. 7-30's bid.	96½
Central Transportation	46⅞

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

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ASHES—Trade is quiet and prices are without quotable change; Common Soda Ash, 48 per cent., 4⅜c; refined, 6@6½; Nitrate Soda, 4⅞@5; Pots, 9½@10c; Pearls, 11@11½; Arsenic, 4c; Black Lead, 6.

ALE—Following are the quotations for well-known brands: X, $9 per bbl, half do, $4,50; XX, $10 per bbl; half do, $5; India Ale, $11 per bbl; $5,50 per half bbl. Porter, $10 per bbl. When packages are returned, $3 are allowed for bbls and $2,50 for half do.

APPLE BUTTER—The demand is improving, and with diminished receipts and reduced stocks the market is firm, though prices are unchanged, ranging from 40@55c per gallon, according to quality.

BUTTER—We can report a steady demand for the best grades, with regular sales of prime to choice roll, in small packages, at 28@30. Low grade butter is in good supply and dull in consequence of the low price of lard.

BROOM CORN—There is a fair demand, mostly, however, for small lots, but there is no change in prices, which range all the way from 4 to 7c, as to quality. The stock of green corn is small, and the inquiry, what little there is, is mainly for it.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Is scarce and in demand, and within the past week prices have advanced; we now quote at $9@9½c per bbl.

CHEESE—There never was, perhaps, as large a stock of good Cheese in this market as there is at the present time, and, while the demand, as is always the case at this season of the year, is light, prices are well maintained—there is no disposition to force sales. We continue to quote standard brands of Goshen at 16½@17c. Ohio Sweitzer, 15½@16½c.

CIDER—Is quotable at $5,50@6,50 per bbl. according to quality and size of barrel.

CARBON OIL—Is quiet and unchanged; standard brands, 22@23¼ by the car load, and 1@2c additional for smaller lots.

CONCENTRATED LYE—$7,50 per case in first hands, and $8 in a jobbing way.

CRANBERRIES—Sackett's and Carey's, $14 per bbl; common, $10@12.

DRESSED HOGS—The arrivals as yet are light but the same is true of the demand; prices unchanged at 5@5½c per lb.

DRIED FRUIT—There is no improvement to note in the demand, and while trade is very quiet, prices are without quotable change. Apples, 4@6c per lb; Peaches, prime halves, 7@8c. Blackberries, 12@13.

EGGS—The receipts continue light particularly of fresh, and with a steady demand, prices are maintained; fresh, 30@35; limed, 27@32, as to quality.

FLOUR—We are reported a steady local trade and prices are firm, but unchanged; spring wheat $7,50@8, the outside figure for choice Minnesotas; and $8,00@8,50 for red winter wheat, according to quality. Liverpool and New York, two very important points, are reported dull, while Chicago is quoted steady, with a good demand; the latter point is no doubt controlled by local influences. Rye flour continues quiet and unchanged, $5,25@5,50.

GROCERIES—Coffee—The Rio telegram received to-day reports light receipts from the interior, an advance in price and small stock, with rather large shipments to the United States. Taken altogether the news is considered favorable to holders of Coffee, and an advance is not unexpected. The large stock of East India Coffee in this country will have a tendency to keep Rio down. Sugar—An advance of ⅛ took place to-day in the eastern market, and a general hardening of prices will likely follow. Refined Sugars at our quotations are favorable to buyers. Rice—Carolina firmer.

GRAIN—The Grain trade is improving somewhat—there is an increased demand, and with light receipts and reduced stocks, prices are firmer and tending upward. Wheat is in fair demand and may be fairly quoted at $1,60@1,70 for fair to prime red and $1,75@1,80 for amber; there is little or no white here except what is in the hands of the mills; it is worth 12 to 15c per bushel more than red and is in demand. There is more inquiry for Oats, and the market is steady at the advance noted in our last report; sales reported, by the car load, at 40@43 for good mixed to prime white; common mixed, 38@39. Shelled Corn is scarce, and, on spot, may be quoted at 58@60—these quotations could not be realized for forward deliveries, and therefore, they are not likely to be sustained for any length of time. Ear Corn is also scarce and wanted, and, on spot, we are reported sales equal to 55 to 56 in bulk, and 59 to 60 bagged. Rye is firmer and higher, with rather more inquiry, may be quoted at 87 to 90—we are cognizant of a sale, to a dealer, at 88. Barley is in fair demand but unchanged; 85 to 90 for fair to prime spring, and $1 for fall.

SUGARS—Granulated, 13½c; Crushed, 13½c; Powdered, 13½c; A Coffee, 12½c; B, 12⅜c; Ex. C, 12¼c; C, 12⅛c; chespeake Ex. C, 12⅛c; Molasses Sugars, 8½@10c; Porto Rico, 10½@11c; Demarara, 11@11½.

COFFEE—Choice Rio 24c; Prime, 23c; Good, 22c. Fair, 21c; Rosted in lb packages 25c; loose, 24½c.

RICE—Carolina, 8¾@9c; Rangoon, 7½@8.

SPICES—Grain Pepper, 23c; Allspice, 18c.

MOLASSES—New crop New Orleans, 80@85c.

HAY—There is a good demand, and the market is firm and prices well maintained; ranging from $30@35 per ton, for baled, on track, according to quality. There is but little hay coming in from the adjoining country which may be attributed to the bad weather and roads, and the horse disease combined.

HOMINY—$4,25 to $4,75 per barrel.

HONEY—Is quoted at 35 to 40c per lb.

LARD OIL—No. 1. Extra winter strained, in a jobbing way, 78@80c.

ONIONS—In good supply, but with a steady demand, prices are maintained; $2,50@3 per bbl.

MILL FEED—Bran is quoted at $1,10@1,20 per cwt; Middlings at $1,30@1,50, according to quality. Corn Meal, $1,30@1,35.

MINCE MEAT—Standard brands 12c.

POTATOES—The arrivals recently have been comparatively light, and with a steady demand prices are well maintained; sales of prime Peach Blows, in a jobbing way, at 80 to 85c per bushel.

POULTRY—Is in good supply, and old stock is scarcely saleable at any price; fresh receipts of dressed chickens, 10@12c per lb; Turkeys, 14@15c. Live chickens, 45@50c per pair.

PROVISIONS—Trade, as is always the case at this season of the year, is quiet, and prices in sympathy with hogs, are weak and lower.

RAGS—Quoted at 3¼@3½c.

SEEDS—Flax Seed, $1,85@1,90.

TALLOW—Unchanged at 8@8¼c.

WHISKY—Is quiet and unchanged; highwines 92@93c.

ALLEGHENY CATTLE MARKET.

ALLEGHENY STOCK YARDS, MONDAY, Dec. 9, 1872.

CATTLE.

Following is a report of the stock that came in by rail, the name of the shipper and the points at which they were shipped.

RECEIPTS.

P. M. Snyder, Orrville	1 Car
Shelby & Brinkerhoof, Shreve	2 "
Graham Bro., Mansfield	1 "
Thos. Boggs, Mansfield	1 "
Keifer & Beyer, Chicago	2 "
Rothchilds & Haas, Chicago	2 "
S. Marks & Co., Crestline	3 "
Greenwald & Kahn, Crestline	3 "
S. D. Wood, Indianapolis	1 "
John Hudson, Marion	1 "
W. K. Buchanan, Barnesville	1 "
G. W. Winker, Gibson	1 "
E. F. Frater, Bridgeport	1 "
Total	20

In addition to the 20 cars above reported there were about 325 driven in from the adjoining country, making in all some 700 head, against nearly double that number last Monday. As might be expected, with this comparatively light supply, the market was stronger, and prices, on common and medium grades ¼ to ½ higher, and even at the advance the supply was scarcely equal to the demand. drovers were not long in discovering that the situation was in their favor, that they had the market well under their control, and the butchers soon ascertained that the supply was short, hence, they lost no time in looking around. Last Monday they could afford to hold off, and those who held off the longest got the cheapest cattle, but to-day the situation was reversed—those who bought earliest bought cheapest, and this being the case trade opened brisk and continued lively until the close—there were but very few unsold at 10 o'clock; there was one bunch of fine Ohio steers averaging about 1,400 left over because the dealer couldn't get what he thought they were worth; he was bid 7c and asked 7½c. It may seem singular that we quote common cattle up ¼ to ½, and whereas really prime butcher stock, of which the supply was very small, did not bring much more than last week, but such was the case; last Monday as well as the Monday preceding, owing to the market being largely overstocked with this grade of cattle, and, in consequence, they really dropped below their legitimate level, were relatively cheaper than good cattle; today the supply being light, they got back to their proper level—good cattle did not decline then, and hence, they did not advance to-day. But for the fact that many of the butchers bought a two week's supply last Monday, the market would have been still firmer to-day; some of them no doubt had stock enough in their slaughter-house yards to last them for a couple of weeks to come, and consequently were independent for the reason that they could afford to hold off until next week. There were some very good cattle on sale to-day, including four cars from Chicago, and about the same number from Ohio, while the balance were common—some of them exceedingly so; we are cognizant of quite a number of the former having been sold at 7 and 7½c, and but few dropped below 6c, and for strictly No. 1 butcher stock there was no difficulty in realizing the first named quotations. Fair steers averaging 1,000 lbs, may be quoted at 4½@5c. Common cows and stags, 3@4c. Bulls, 2½@3¼, according to quality. Oxen are entirely played out except for beef, hence, they are not worth within 1½@2c per lb. of what they brought during the prevalence of the epizootic. There is little or no inquiry for stock steers just now, but prime feeding steers weighing say from 1,000 to 1,100 are wanted to a moderate extent, and may be quoted at 4½@5c. Following embraces a pretty full report of the sales.

Jacob Schamberg, 17 head small mixed Washington Co steers at 3 to 5½c.

Zeigler & Lobman, 38 head of mixed Washington Co stock at 3½@6½c.

L. Rothchilds & Co., two loads of prime butcher cattle, from Chicago, at 6½@7c.

Smith & Krause sold 10 head of fair to extra Ohio steers and heifers at 5½@7½c.

Jabob Needy reports having sold two cars of Ohio stock on commission at 6 to 6½.

Peter Hartman, 40 head of mixed Washington and Green Co. stock at 3@6½.

Keifer & Beyer, 2 cars of prime to extra butcher stock, from Chicago, at 6@7c.

Gus Farien sold 8 head of Beaver Co. Steers at 5c; one bull at 2,60. 3 fair fresh cows at $48 per head.

Shitemantle & Flinner, 13 head fair Butler Co. stock, averaging about 1,000, at an average 4@4½c per lb.

Hazelwood & Blackstock report 21 head of Ohio stock of 3@5c.

Greenwald & Kahn sold 45 head of good to prime Ohio stock at 4 to 7c; 17 head of extra 1,400 steers left over—held at 7½—7c bid.

Kistner & Ileg report 52 head mixed Green Co. stock 3,30@6,00.

Sol. Tsauman 29 prime Ohio heifer and steers at 5 to 6½.

S. Marks & Bro. two cars of good prime Ohio stock at 5½@7c.

Carr & McAllister sold 20 head of fairish Indiana stock at 5@5½.

Holmes, Lafferty & Co., 34 head of mixed Washington Co stock at 3¼@6c.

Sadler, Havens & Co. wholesaled one car of mixed Ohio stock to D. Mike, weighing 850 lbs, at 4c; retailed 3 cars of same kind at 3½@5c.

D. C. Davis reports 66 head of mixed Green Co. stock at 2½@5c—mostly small heifers and steers

Jas. Hanlin & Co report 41 head of mixed Washington Co. stock.

E. Katz, 20 head of Washington Co. stock at 4@5c.

Kraus & Frater sold 18 head of Ohio steers and heifers, 4½@5½.

SHEEP.

The supply, although pretty well up to the demand, was considerably below that of last Monday; the whole number on sale to-day footed up about 800, and mostly common in point of quality; the "tops" were closed out early in the day at full prices, say 5½@6c per lb, but "tail ends" dragged, and there were still some on hand late in the day, unsold. As noted in our last report, butchers generally are buying sparingly, but they want good stock and no other kind, hence, the best grades are selling more readily and at relatively better prices than common. This was the situation to-day, and the market is likely to remain in this position for some time, and those interested should make a note of this, and be guided accordingly; we would advise our country friends not to bring in anything of the scalawag order unless they are prepared to accept scalawag prices. Following is a detailed report of sales:

J. S. McMillan sold 40 head of extra, 95 lbs wethers, to Tesh at 6c; retailed 65 of mixed stock at $3,50 per head to 5½cts per lb.

John Montgomery wholesaled 60 head of fairish Armstrong Co. ewes and wethers, averaging about 80 lbs, at 4c per lb.

Wm. B. Neeley, 150 head of Washington Co. stock, $2,50@6,00 per head.

E. Jackson wholesaled 30 head of coarse wool, averaging about 100 lbs, at $5 per head.

Henry Hanlin, 43 head of good, but small, fine wool Washington Co. stock, which held at 5½c per lb.

Adam Eckert sold 110 mixed Ohio sheep, for C. M. Heimes, at $1 to $4 per head.

Peter Sheitmantle, 80 head of prime to extra Butler Co. stock at 5 to 6c.

J. W. Cunningham, 60 head of mixed Lawrence Co. stock at $2,50@4½ per head.

R. Bradley, 56 head at $3,25 to $5,25 per head.

HOGS.

There was a very fair demand for this class of stock to-day, but with a full supply, together with the decline in East Liberty, prices ruled lower than this day week. We now quote, in a retail way, at 4@4½ gross, as to quality.

Chas. Beyer sold 2 cars of mixed Ohio hogs, for C. M. Heimes, at 3½@4½. Gus. Farrien sold 28 at 4c.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

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The crude market was reported very quiet, though, as compared with Saturday, there is no quotable change in prices; $3,55@3,57½ per bbls bid at Parker, and $3,60 asked. It seems that the combination between the producers and refiners has not yet been fully consummated, but no doubt is entertained by those who are supposed to be well posted of its ultimate success. It is a regular sliding scale, and the price of crude will be regulated by the refined; when the one declines the other will decline also; the one, as it were, will be dependent entirely upon the other. Refined is quiet and unchanged; 27 is still the asking price delivered in Philadelphia, but exporters refuse to go above 26@26½. Oil Barrels are quiet and unchanged; city make, $2,15; country, $2,05@2,10 as to quality.

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL.

Riverside O W, account Elkin B & Co.	80
Riverside O W acct. O. J. Grier.	24
Model O W, acct J. Bushnell.	302
Citizens O W, acct. Same.	[illegible]
Keystone O W, acct. J. Bushnell.	[illegible]
Sunbeam O W, acct. Fisher Bro.	81
J. A. Speer & Co. acct. A. Stewart.	52
Hutchinson O W, acct. T. Hackett	471
Hutchinson O W, acct. B. S. Duncan	395
American O W, acct. B. S. Duncan.	483
Sunbeam O W acct. W. Stewart	314
Total	2,788

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Financial Market.

NEW YORK, December 9, 1872.

Money was active in the morning, at 1-32 per day, but the alliance between the old gold clique and the Pacific Mail people having been abandoned, it returned to a condition of complete ease, and loaned freely at 4@5 per cent. per annum. Sterling quiet and firm; 108¾@108⅞ for long, and 110@110¼ for short sight. Gold lower, and declined from 113¼ to 112⅞. Loans ¼ to flat for use, and 3@7 per cent. for carrying. Clearings, $84,000,000. Treasury disbursements, $156,000. Governments quiet and slightly easier, the currency bonds being weakest and ⅛ per cent. lower. State bonds dull and firm. Stocks, with the exception of Pacific Mail, Hannibal & St. Joseph and Northwestern, have been quiet all day on fluctuations of ¼ to 1 per cent. Pacific was irregular, fluctuating frequently between 79 and 80¼. Hannibal and St. Joseph common advanced from 35¼ to 39⅝, preferred from 57 to 59¼. Northwestern common 86⅞ to 88½, and preferred 90 to 92⅝. The market closed dull and steady. The Northwestern Company declared a semi-annual dividend of 3½ per cent. on both common and preferred stock, payable December 28th.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Canton, 104; Western Union Telegraph, 77; Quicksilver, 48; Adams Express, 93; Wells, Fargo & Co., 87; American Merchant Union Co., 67½; U. S. Express Co., 80; Pacific Mail, 79¾; N. Y. Central, 95¾; Erie, 52⅞; do preferred, 73½; Harlem, 117; do preferred, 126; Michigan Central, 115; Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago, 88; Northwestern, 87⅛; do preferred, 92; Rock Island, 113¾; New Jersey Central, 102⅛; St. Paul, 53⅝; do preferred, 76; Wabash, 69⅝; do preferred, 84; Ft. Wayne, 93; Terre Haute, 14; do preferred, 35; Chicago and Alton, 111; do preferred, 115; Ohio and Mississippi, 46⅞; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 99; Burlington and Quincy, 138; Lake Shore, 94; Panama, 35⅝; Illinois Central, 124; Union Pacific, 37⅝; Central Pacific, 101⅛; Union, 88⅛; Delaware & Lackawana, 94; Hartford and Erie, 8¾.

GOVERNMENTS.—United States 6s, '81, coupons 117⅛; 5-20s, '62, 113⅝; do '64, 113⅝; do '65, 113⅝; new 5s, 115⅜; do '67, 116⅞; do '68, 116⅛; new 5s, 110⅝; 10-40s, do 109⅛; currency 6s, 111⅛.

BONDS.—Missouri, 95; Tennessee old, 79⅛; do new, 80; Virginia new, 50; do old, 48; North Carolina old, 34½; do new, 21¼.

Live Stock.

NEW YORK, December 9.—Total Beeves 9,100, against 7,500 for the previous week; for to-day 161 cars at Communipaw, 149 at One Hundredth street, and 39 at Weehawken, making 6,150; extremely hard market for poor stock, and there was little else; many droves got in late and are unsold; little State and Virginia trash sold at 6@8c; Texans 8@10c; fair natives 11@12c; good to prime 12½@14c; a few very large holiday animals 15c; 11 of 11½ cwt net 16c; 5 cars Illinois, 8¼ cwt, 13¼c; 1 car Michigan 9¼c, 55 lbs per cwt; 22 cars Texans, 6 cwt, 8¼c, 55 lbs per cwt; 1 car little Ohio, 4⅜c live weight; 4 cars poor Virginia, 5 cwt 8¼c. Sheep: total 22,500, or about 10,000 less than last week, and still trade is very dull; only fat lots selling for to-day, 6,160 and 2,500 of them left to-night; thin lots sell at 4@5¼c; fair to good 5½@6c; prime to extra 6¼@6½c; a car 134 lbs Canada selling at 6¼c; a car 83 lbs Michigan 5⅜c; a car 82 lbs Ohio 5½c. Hogs: 51,000, against 64,100 last week; market rather firm at 4⅜@4⅝c for live and 5¼@6½c for dressed; those of 200 lbs selling at 5⅜c; 3 cars Ohio live sold at 4⅝c; stock to-day 158 cars.

PHILADELPHIA, December 9.—Beeves very dull this week; market in favor of buyers; extra Pennsylvania and western steers 7⅞@8c; fair to good 6@6½c; common 4½@5½c. Sheep dull at 4½@6½c. Hogs dull and lower, $5,75@6,25; sales: 3,000 beeves; 12,000 sheep and 5,000 hogs.

New York.

NEW YORK, December 9.—Cotton in fair request; middling upland 19⅝c; sales of futures 9,100 bales; December, 18 13-16@18⅞c; January, 18⅞@19 1-16c; February, 19¼c; March, 19 5-16c; April, 19 9-16@19⅝c; May, 19 15-16@20c; June, 20¼c. Flour dull and unchanged; receipts 14,000 barrels; superfine western and State $5,90@6,30; common to good $7,05@8,55; good to choice $7,10@7,85; white wheat extra $6,65@7,90; extra Ohio $7,00@9,25; St. Louis $7,10. Wheat quiet and very firm, offerings light; receipts 79,000 bushels; No. 3 spring $1,45@1,46; winter red western $1,73@1,82; spring mixed $1,50; No. 2 January delivery $1,60; red State $1,73. Rye scarce; firmly held. Barley dull. Malt unchanged. Corn firm and fairly active; receipts 39,000 bush.; steamer western mixed 64@64½c; sail 65c; high mixed nearly yellow 65½@66c. Oats quiet and steady; receipts 69,000 bush.; old western mixed 53@55½c; new 50@51c; white 52@53c; State 49@52c; black western 49@51½c. Eggs quiet; western better; 35c. Hay and hops unchanged. Coffee quiet; Rio 15@18½c. Sugar dull; fair to good refining 9¼@9⅝c; Cuba 9¼@9⅝c. Molasses in moderate request; New Orleans 60@70c. Rice dull. Petroleum: crude 13c; refined 26¼@27c. Turpentine dull at 60c. Mess Pork more active at $15 25@15,50; prime $15,00@15,25. Beef dull and unchanged. Middles dull; long clear 7 1-16c; short clear, January, February and March, 7¼c. Lard weak; No. 1 to prime steam 7@7⅛c; kettle 8¼c. Butter quiet; western 10@16c; choice steady at 11@14¼c.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, December 9.—Flour quiet and steady; very light receipts; No 2 closed on 'change at $1,12¼, and on cash, open Board, in afternoon, at $1,14; No 3 $1,01@1,03; rejected 91@93c, according to location. Corn active and higher; No 2 31½c cash or December; rejected 29c. Oats steady; No 2 25¼c; rejected 22½@23½c. Rye steady; No 2 60½c. Barley dull; No 2 60c. Pork steady at $11,50@11,62. Lard steady at 7c cash; 7⅛c January. Hams: green firm at 6⅞@7¾c, according to weight; other green meats and partly cured quiet at unchanged prices. Whisky steady: 88½c. Receipts: flour 7,000 bbls; wheat 64,000 bush; corn 51,000 bush; oats 38,000 bush; rye 5,000 bush; barley 26,000. Shipments: flour 9,000 bbls; wheat 13,000 bush; corn 7,000 bush; oats 3,000 bush; rye 29,000 bush. Cattle: receipts 2,290 head; market dull; few lots good to choice steers sold at 5¼@6⅜c; the outside for 1,375 lbs average; shipments on Saturday 800. Hogs: receipts 18,217; market active and firm; range $3,60@3,90, with most sales at $3,70@3,80; shipments 2,681.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, November 9.—Cotton quiet and unchanged in every respect. Flour: demand fair and market firm at $7,35@7,50. Wheat: market steady, with a moderate demand at $1,52@1,58; other grains steady and unchanged. Groceries steady and in fair demand. Oils firm and unchanged. Eggs: market steady, with a moderate demand at 30c. Mess pork nominal at $11,87½. Lard: steam 7@7¼c; kettle 7¼@7⅜c. Bulk meats: shoulders 12c; clear rib sides 5¼c; clear 5⅜c—all loose and partially cured. Bacon: market steady with a moderate demand; shoulders 5c; clear rib 8c; clear 8¼c. Green meats quiet; shoulders 3⅝c; sides 4⅜c; hams 7⅛@8¼c—as to weight. Hogs firm at $3,65@3,80. Whisky: demand fair and market firm at 88c.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, December 9.—Flour firm and very quiet; western superfine $5,25@6,50; extra $6,75@8,00; family $8,25. Wheat active; choice white $2,10; fair to prime $1,85@2,05; choice Amber 42,05@2,10; good to prime red $1,90@2,00; common to fair $1,65@1,85; western red $1,60@1,70; Amber $1,75@1,85. Corn: mixed western dull at 61½c bid; 62c asked. Oats firm; mixed western 45@46c; white 45@48c. Rye quiet at 80@90c. Provisions dull. Mess Pork $15,50. Bulk shoulders 4½c; rib sides 6⅛c; clear rib sides 6⅜@6⅝c. Bacon in only limiting jobbing demand; shoulders 5¾@6c; rib sides 8¾@9c; bacon shoulders, clear ribs, 9¼@9½c. New hams $14,50@15,00. Lard 7⅝c for western. Butter firm and scarce; choice roll at 30c. Whisky firm at 95c.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, December 9.—Cotton dull but unchanged. Flour dull and prices are nominal. Wheat: not enough done to establish prices. Corn firmer for lots accessible to buyer free of drayage; none other saleable; No. 2 29@30c east track. Oats dull; only deliverable lots saleable; No. 2 24@2½c east track. Barley and rye unchanged; little doing. Whisky steady at 92c. Mess pork nominal at $12,00@12,50. Meats unchanged; packed lots 4@6¼@6⅜c. Bacon: no sales. Lard in good demand for future sales; prime steam 7c, seller December and January. Hogs brisk; $3,60@3,80. Cattle steady; 3@6c for fair to extra; receipts 4,000 and 19,000.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, December 9.—There is not much animation in trade to-day, although both commission houses and jobbers report sales up to their expections. The market for cotton goods remains very strong for all desirable grades. Atlantic A and other standard makes of brown sheetings are sold ahead up to February next. Prints are fairly active, and one jobbing house distributed nearly 900 cases last week. Woolens are quiet and difficult to place, except at old prices. Scarlet wool flannels and trimmed horse blankets are scarce. Foreign goods are quiet, except black alpacas, mohairs and holiday goods.

Foreign.

LONDON, December 9.—Consols for money, 91⅝@91½; for account, 91¼; U. S. coupons, 5 20's '65, 91⅝; do '67, 94¼; 10-40's, 88½; new 5's, 88⅞; Erie, 42¼. Petroleum: refined 20¼s. Turpentine 44s 9d@45s.

PARIS, December 9.—Rentes, 53f 37c.

LIVERPOOL, December 9.—Cotton dull. Breadstuffs quiet: red winter wheat, 11s 10d. Flour, 30s. Corn 28s 9d. Cheese, 65s. Cumberland middles, 39s; short rib middles 40s.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, December 9.—Flour firm: superfine $4,50@5,50; extra $5,50@6,25; Iowa and Wisconsin $7,50@8,00; Minnesota $8,00@8,50; Pennsylvania, Indiana and Ohio $8,00@9,00. Wheat: the demand is good at full prices. Rye scarce at 90c. Corn active: white 50@52c; mixed 46@47c. Petroleum drooping; crude 17⅜c; refined 26@26½c. Whisky dull at 94c.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, December 9.—Flour: demand fair and market firm. Wheat: demand fair and prices advanced; amber Michigan, cash and seller December $1,58@1,59; No 1 red $1,60; No 2 do $1,57. Corn a shade better; high mixed 38½c; new 36⅜c; low mixed new 36¼. Lard 7¼@7½c. Dressed hogs 4¼c. Clover seed $5,15. Receipts for past day 2,000, 6,000, 1,000, 11,000, 63,000, 900.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, December 9.—Sugar dull; inferior, 6@6¼c.; common to good common, 6¼@7½c.; fair to fully fair prime, 9c. Molasses advanced; fair, 48@49c.; prime to choice, 50@55c. Cotton active; sales 7,000, good ordinary, 17⅝c.; low middlings, 18½c.; middlings, 19c.; middlings Orleans, 19½c.; receipts, 2,682; exports: Liverpool, 7,385; coast, 1,275; stock, 143,459.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, December 9.—Flour strong and in good demand. Wheat firm; No 1 red winter held at $1,65; No 2 do $1,54. Corn firm; high mixed 47c; low 46c; yellow 48c. Oats: demand fair and market firm; No 1 37c; No 2 35c. Petroleum: crude firm and unchanged.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, December 9.—Flour quiet and unchanged in every respect. Wheat market buoyant but unsettled; No. 1 Milwaukee $1,19½; No. 2 do $1,12¾. Oats: No. 2 27c. Corn: market steady with a moderate demand; No. 2 mixed 37c.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R., Dec. 7.—2 cars lumber, Heath & S; 2 do whisky, Houck McC & Co; 5 do o bbls, Central Ref Co; 6 do. do. Citizens Ref Co; 2 do do, Duncan & T; 593 bdls paper, Godfrey & C; 13 d hogs, Beckert & G; 23 do, J P Hanna & Co; 30 bbls flour, P Duff & Son; 96 sks f seed, 12 d hogs, W Welsh & Co; 5 kegs o meal, J Porterfield; 30 cases matches, Arbuckles & Co; 11 kegs butter, J A Graff; 1 qr beef, 1 bbl cider, D James; 41 do apples, 108 bxs cheese, Watt L & Co; 5 rolls paper, P P M Co; 13 bxs toys, Kramer & Co; 2 bbls wine, B Kittner; 1 do do, M Bamser; 2 bxs cigars, A S Gilmore; 1 do do, Haworth & D; 7 shellers, 7 wheels, Young & M; 5 d hogs, Dalzell & T; 1 do, A Barnett; 8 do, I Hippley; 16 do do, Voigt M & Co; 2 cks lanterns, 4 bbls do, Hunter & G; lot produce, Head C & Co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R., Dec. 8.—28 bxs cheese, Luebbe & M; 1 do paper, W G Johnson & Co; 50 do cheese, Shipton & W; 254 bdls 1041 bars iron, G D Hall; 1 car clay, Star F B Co; 45 g hides, J C Lappe; 14 do do, J Callery; 11 sks bw flour, Schomaker & Co; 28 do do, J J Fetzer Bro; 9 hogs, J Koster; 12 sks paper, C P Markle & Co; 5 cars cinder, Zug & Co, 53 cars coal, S M Kier; 22 do do, Sable Coal Co; 25 do do, Armstrong D & Co; 9 rolls leather, G H Anderson & Co; 1 car s steel, Miller B & P; 50 bxs starch, T C Jenkins; 16 do hops, Harris & E; 25 do starch, Seghmyer & V; 1 box t ware, J H Parker; 1 do do, Lane Bro; 25 bxs cheese, S Ewart & Co.

ALLEGHENY STATION, Dec. 7.—100 bbls flour, S Lindsay & Co; 200 do do, Adams & K; 2 cars staves, 2 do headings, J M Hemphill; 1 do wheat, Gilmore & Co; 382 e p bbls, A P P Co; 1 car staves, H Cordier; 2 do do, C A Wormcastle; 94 bbls apples, D H Campbell; 4 do butter, 6 do eggs, S Moon; 50 sks middlings, J Irwin; 40 do flour, Hall & S; 2 do bw do, W Thompson; 3 do do, Barbour & P 100 bbls flour, 1 car oats, M Steel & Son; 221 bags oats, P H Ittle & Co; 31 bales hay, R Knox & Son; 1 car d olumber, Reed Bro 1 do do, J H Morrison.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R., Dec. 9.—5 bbls alcohol, M McCullough & Co; 500 do flour, 400 sks do Shomaker & Co; 64 bbls s iron, Mullon & D; 45 bales hay, G W Michael; 4 cars b hams, E H Myers & Co; 100 bbls flour, Hind C & Co; 300 do do, T C Jenkins; 100 do do, 141 sks wheat, Houck McC & C; 200 bbls flour, F W Jenkins Bro; 66 sks c seed, Jno Hinkle; 12 chests tea, Haworth & D; 5 do do, Johnston & C; 100 bbls flour, Watt L & Co; 10 do do J S Dilworth & Co; 25 bbls h wines, Thos R Kerr; 50 bales hops, Jno White Jr; 16 bbls sausage, J A Graff & Co; 50 bbls h wines, Shipton & W; 63 bales hay, Bricker & Co; 90 sks middlings, Hill & B; 50 bbls spirits, Hostetter & S; 200 bgs barley, Voigt M & Co; 100 bbls flour, J S Dilworth & Co; 50 bxs cheese, E Moye & Co; 2 cars feed, McHenry & H; 1 do staves, C A Wormcastle; 100 bbls flour, Jno Porterfield; 15 bbls eggs, Head C & Co; 50 kgs rivets, W P Townsend & Co; 3 cars g stones; Jno Boyd; 73 bbls glue, Wm Flaccus; 256 bgs oats, Voigt & G; 2 cars hay, Voigt M & Co; 200 bxs cheese, P Duff & Son.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R., Dec. 9.—2 cars rye, 2 do barley, W J Meek; 2 do corn, Scott & G; 380 bu do, M F Herron & Co; 3 cars do, McHenry & H; 1 car barley, McBane & A; 128 pkgs machinery, Scobia R & S; 81 bales b corn, J A Graff; 5 do do, Vangorder & S; 50 bbls glue, C Haverlin & Co; 1 car oats, 1 do corn, Scott & G; 105 bdls spokes, Thos Hare & Bro; 27 bgs feed Wm Ferguson; 2 bales batting, McKee & M; 5 kgs a butter, 7 sks seed, 3 d hogs, H J McCracken & Bro; 11 kgs a butter, J J Pettit; 1 bbl bacon, J H Parker; 100 bbls flour, T C Jenkins; 100 do do, 400 sks do, Seghmyer & V; 266 sks malt, H Wilhelm; 200 bbls flour, Dan Wallace.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Pitts Bolt Co.o	2	Zug & Co.o.	3
Lucy Furnace.o.	11	Shoenberger B & Co.	16
Pgh Fge & Iron.o	3	Wilson G & Co.o.	1
G. W. Hailman.b	2	Isabella Furnace.o	25
Total.			63

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Lewis B & D.o.	1	Paul, Jones & Co.m.	4
Jas. Wood S. & Co.m.	3	Wharton B. & Co.m.	3
Zug & Co.m	2	Lewis B & Co.p	6
Total			19

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS R. R.

Harbaugh M & O.o.	2	Carnagie K & Co.o.	2
Total.			4

PENN'A. CENTRAL RAILROAD.

J. W. Porter.m.	4	Caughey & H.m	6
Total.			10

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

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RIVER NEWS.

The river continues to recede steadily at this point, with about four and a half feet in the channel last evening. The weather has again turned very cold, and for the time navigation may be considered suspended. Thermometer at 4 P. M. 14, and regular northwest wind all day.

The Iron Mountain arrived on Sunday night from St. Louis. The Exchange and Esperanza are also en route from the same point—the Exchange is almost due, and may be able to get through, but unless the weather moderates very quickly the Esperanza will doubtless be obliged to take the bank.

The Bellevernon is still receiving for Nashville, but of course, she will not venture out until there is a change in the weather, of which there is not much prospect at this writing.

—We clip the following from the St. Louis Republican of Saturday: W. S. Evans sells his 30 shares, W. Coulson 39 shares, R. C. Mason 10 shares, D. H. S. Gilmore 40 shares, J. B. Dallas 20 shares, I. J. Evans 20 shares and James Ward 1 share in the steamer E. H. Durfee to the Durfee Transportation Company, said company is to be in existence for fifty years with a capital of $16,000 and privilege to increase to $100,000. N. Buesen sells his 30 shares, John Todd 30 shares, W. S. Evans 40 shares, S. B. Coulson 29 shares, James Ward 1 share and D. S. H. Gilmore 30 shares in the steamer Key West, to the Key West Transportation Company, which has a capital of $15,000 and privilege to increase to $100,000, said company to be in existence fifty years. W. S. Evans sells his 30 shares, S. B. Coulson 30 shares, Martin Coulson 30 shares, D. S. H. Gilmore 30 shares and James Ward 1 share in the steamer Far West to the Far West Transportation Company. Said company to last 50 years, with a capital of $12,000 and privilege to increase to $100,000. W. S. Evans sells his 29 shares, James Ward 1 share, S. B. Coulson 30 shares, Martin Coulson 30 shares, D. S. H. Gilmore 30 shares and J. B. Dallas 30 shares in the steamer Western to the Western Transportation Company. This company is to last 50 years and has a capital of $15,000 and privelege to increase to $100,000.

—At a meeting of the Committee of Commerce at Washington, Thursday, the subject of the Louisville Canal came up, and Messrs. Negley, Conger and Holman were appointed a sub-committee to inquire into the propriety of making the canal a public work by refunding all that has been expended on it outside of the Government appropriations. The sub-committee are unquestionably in favor of this proposition, and it is believed a majority of the full committee also favor the propositon. Negley, the chairman of the sub-committee, promise tos make an eleborate report.

—The St. Louis Globe of Saturday says: The towboat Comet, Captain Hare, was forced to come up for coal. She has three barges loaded with ore, and will leave as soon as the water will permit. The Wild Duck has one barge and the Babbage three, loading with ore. The iron men on the Ohio are anxious to get out all they can by the first of January, as their contracts cease then at present price.

—Captain Smith's New American steamer is completed, except her machinery, which will be ready by the 20th. She will be shipped by steamer from Cincinnati to New Orleans, packed; thence by schooner to a point on the South American coast; and thence by rail fifteen miles to her destination, where she will be put together.

—That section of the Steamboat law limiting steam pressure of boilers has been modified so that towboats with standard boilers may carry 150 pounds.

—Capt. Lew. Shallcross and Hicks King are at work raising the hull of the Kate Kinney, burned at New Albany wharf about six weeks ago. They expect to have her afloat forthwith.

—The Colossal and E. H. Durfee have laid up at Algiers, opposite New Orleans.

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[illegible]

CITY TICKET OFFICE.

For the convenience of the citizens of Pittsburgh, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company have opened a City Ticket Office at No. 79 Fifth avenue, [illegible] where Through Tickets [illegible] can be purchased at any hour of the day or evening, at the same rates as are charged at the depot. Baggage will be checked through to destination from hotels and residences by the Union Baggage Express Co. on orders left at the office.

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Through Cars, without change to Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis and St. Louis.

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WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. On and after Monday, December 2, 1872, [illegible] Western Pennsylvania Railroad will leave from and arrive at the Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows (Allegheny time):

[illegible]

For further information apply to
JAMES LEFFERTS, Agent, Federal Street Depot.
Local Tickets to all important stations on the main line of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad.
A. J. CASSATT, General Manager, Philadelphia, Pa.
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PITTSBURGH, WASHINGTON & BALTIMORE RAILWAY—CONNELLSVILLE ROUTE. On and after Sunday, Nov. 10, 1872, Trains will arrive and depart from Depot, corner Grant and Water streets, Pittsburgh, as follows, city time:

[illegible]

All other trains daily except Sunday.

THROUGH MAIL MAKES CONNECTIONS AT BRIDGEPORT FOR BEDFORD SPRINGS.

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For the convenience of citizens of Pittsburgh, the Pittsburgh, Washington & Baltimore Railway Company have opened a Central Ticket Office at [illegible] Through Tickets, Commutation Tickets and Local Tickets to all points on the line of the P. W. & B. Railway can be procured, at any hour of the day or evening, at the same rates as are charged at Depot. Baggage will be checked through to destination from hotels and residences by the Armstrong Baggage Express, on orders left at this office.

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NEW LINE TO BUFFALO THROUGH THE OIL REGIONS.

On and after SUNDAY, Nov. 3, 1872, THREE THROUGH TRAINS daily, (except Sunday) will leave and arrive at Union Depot, Pittsburgh, city time, for Franklin, Oil City, Buffalo, and all points in the Oil Regions and Central and Western New York.

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PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA AND CHARLESTON RAILWAY. Time Table No. 9. On and after November 18, and until further notice, ACCOMMODATION TRAINS will leave South Pittsburgh (Brownsville Road), as follows:

[illegible]

Trains will stop at principal streets, until street cars commence running.
J. M. BYERS, Chief Engineer and Superintendent.
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 18, 1872.

ASSESSMENTS.

OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Dec. 7, 1872.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENTS FOR the construction of the Sewer on CAMPBELL ALLEY, from Jackson street to Ackley street, and on FEDERAL and ROBINSON STREETS and Excelsior alley, from Rose alley to Lacock street, are now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until THURSDAY, Dec. 19, 1872, when they will be placed in the hands of the City Controller, to serve notices for the payment of the same.

CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Dec. 5, 1872.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENTS FOR the grading, paving and curbing of UNION ALLEY, from Main street to Carpenter alley, and for the grading and Paving of CARPENTER ALLEY, from Union alley to a point 250 feet west, are now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until THURSDAY, Dec. 19, 1872, when they will be placed in the hands of the City Controller, to serve notices for the payment of the same.

CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the viewers on the opening of Frazier street, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days from the date hereof liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, costs and fees.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
December 5, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the viewers on the opening of 47th street, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days from the date hereof liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, costs, and fees.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
December 5, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the viewers on the opening of Bedford avenue, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days from the date hereof liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, costs, and fees.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
December 5, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the viewers on the widening of Liberty street, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days from the date hereof liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, costs and fees.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
December 5, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the viewers on the opening of [illegible] are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days from the date hereof liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, costs and fees.

J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
December 5, 1872.

OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, [illegible]

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENTS FOR the Grading, Paving and Curbing of [illegible] STREET, from Norris avenue to [illegible]

CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

HOME NEWS.

Fortunate.

The train which left this city for Little Washington on Saturday evening on the Chartiers Valley Railroad, had a very narrow escape from accident. Just as it was nearing Hartsons station a huge rock became suddenly detached from the bluff and came down, striking against the baggage car, crushing it partly, and then rolled on the track. The passenger car jumped the obstruction, and a panic immediately ensued, which was only quieted down when it was found no accident had happened.

Admitted to the Bar.

Yesterday morning, on motion of Thomas C. Lazear, Esq., Mr. Andrew S. Miller was admitted to practice in the several courts of Allegheny county. Mr. Miller is an alumnus of Washington and Jefferson College. He pursued his legal studies in the office of Major A. M. Brown, and in his examination before the Board of Examiners he came off with decided credit. He is a young gentleman of fine culture, of excellent moral character, and will give all his energies to the practice of his chosen profession. We predict that within a few years he will take rank among our most respectable and successful lawyers.

Personal.

Peter Quinn, an old and esteemed citizen of the Second ward, was buried yesterday, having died suddenly from a second stroke of paralysis received on Sunday morning last.

Yesterday John C. McCarthy, Esq., a well known member of the Allegheny County legal fraternity, died at his residence in this city, after an illness of short duration. He represented the Third ward in the city councils for several years, each term having been elected by Democratic constituents. He was forty-two years of age, and a widower, leaving a child two years of age.

The Jones Larceny Case.

Yesterday morning a hearing was had before the Mayor in the case of Mrs. Ellen Jones, who is charged on oath of Mrs. Mary Ann Pollitt with the larceny of three hundred dollars in money. The information included the husband of Mrs. Jones, but he has not yet been found. Mrs. Pollitt testified that she visited the house of the defendants, having the money in her bosom. While there, Mr. Jones gave her a hot punch, which rendered her unconscious, and upon recovering she found that the money was gone. Mrs. Pollitt alleges that she found her wedding ring had been removed from her finger, and a ring belonging to Jones substituted. The wedding ring was found in a salt cellar in Jones' house. The accused protested her innocence, but offered no testimony. The mayor held her for trial in the sum of three hundred dollars.

The Forty-Eighth Street Crossing Accident—Coroners Inquest.

Yesterday morning Coroner West proceeded to hold the inquest in the case of the man Purcell, who was killed at Forty-eight street crossing as previously reported in the GAZETTE. The engineer of the train, Edveston Knox, testified that he was coming along at Forty-eight street on time, and was not more than the length of a freight car off the crossing, when he saw the heads of the mules coming on the track; saw the deceased take one of the mules by the head, they were not on the track atthe time; put the air brakes on quick as he saw the mules; the air pipe broke and let the air out of the drum; was running at the rate of six to seven miles an hour; sounded the whistle, etc. Much of the testimony was merely a repitition of a description of the accident. J. S. McCurdy and B. F. King were examined but no new facts were elicited.

The inquest was adjourned until to-day, in order to get at all the facts of the case.

Health Officer's Report.

Dr. McCandless, health physician, reports fifty-seven deaths for the week ending December 8. The causes of death were: Delirium tremens, 1; accident, 2; cerebral apoplexy, 1; asthma, 2; atrophy, 1; acute bronchitis, 2; cholera infantum, 1; consumption, 6; convulsions, 3; cramps, 2; congestion of brain, 1; diphtheria, 2; disease of brain, 2; disease of bladder, 1; dropsy of brain, 1; scarlet fever, 1; hernia, 1; inflammation of bowels, 1; inflammation of brain, 3; meningitis, 3; inflammation of endocardium, 1; inflammation peritoneum, 1; inflammation of stomach, 1; inanition, 1; marasmus, 2; natural causes, 3; old age, 3; premature birth, 2; rheumatism, 1; unknown, 2; whooping cough, 3; still births, 3.

Of the above there were under 1 year, 18; from 1 to 2, 4; from 2 to 5, 5; from 5 to 10, 1; from 10 to 15, 1; from 15 to 20, 2; from 20 to 30, 4; from 30 to 40, 4; from 40 to 50, 5; from 50 to 60, 5; from 60 to 70, 3; from 70 to 80, 1; from 80 to 90 3. Males, 31; females, 26; white, 55; colored 2; total 57.

Death of an Old Citizen.

Mr. Dennis Leonard, after a somewhat protracted sickness, died on Sunday evening at five o'clock, at his residence on Penn street.

Mr. Leonard was a native of Ireland. He came to this country and settled in this city nearly sixty years ago. His trade was that of a cooper, but he has for many years been known as an extensive and very successful lumber merchant, having amassed a fortune of four or five hundred thousand dollars. He sought for but one distinction among men—viz: to be esteemed an honest man, to deal honestly and honorably with all men, and to lead a blameless life. In this laudable ambition he was entirely successful. No man stood higher for integrity. He was remarkable chiefly for diligently minding his own business, and letting other people mind their's. He was of very exemplary moral habits; a regular attendant on the ministrations of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and of very plain and simple habits and tastes. He was much esteemed by all the older citizens, among whom he had many warm friends, who will lament his loss as that of a valued friend.

A BOLD HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

A Man's Coat, Watch and Money Taken.

About eleven o'clock on Sunday night a young man named Brown, who lives somewhere in the vicinity of the Sharpsburg bridge, was returning home from Lawrenceville when he was stopped by three men in the vicinity of the Standard Oil Works, on the road leading to Sharpsburg. While two of the men held their victim the third went through him, taking his watch and one hundred and twenty-five dollars in money. They were not satisfied with this, but told him to take off his coat. After securing the garment the robbers told him to proceed on his way, but at the same time intimating that it would be safer for him to keep the matter quiet for the present. Mr. Brown took the hint and departed a poorer but a colder man. He states that he doesn't think he would be able to identify the robbers.

"BETSY AND I ARE OUT."

An Aged Couple Disagree—An Adult Son the Cause of the Dispute—Maternal Love Stronger than the Connubial Tie.

A case bearing somewhat of romance was developed in the Court of Common Pleas yesterday, while the Court was disposing of some cases on the divorce docket. Among the applicants for a severance of the connubial tie was a venerable citizen Mr. Dennis McCafferty, who based his claims for legal release from matrimonial bonds on the ground of his aged partner's desertion. According to his story, away back in earlier years, they two joined fortunes in the city of Londonderry, Ireland, and it being a case wherein "love laughs at locksmiths," they took their departure from the "Gem of the Sea" without unnecessary ceremony. Coming to America, and pitching their tent in Pittsburgh, they lived together for a quarter of a century in peace and harmony, until a question arose between them as to parental duty toward an adult son. The old gentleman says he maintained that "the boy" should support himself, while the mother held to a different view, and argued the perfect right of the youth to draw upon them until he became fixed in a permanency. The dispute was so irreconcilable that the lady withdrew from the household, and absented herself a sufficient length of time to permit of an action for divorce, on the grounds of desertion. The Court, after hearing the story, granted the divorce, and Dennis is now a free man.

TRACKED IN THE SNOW.

Capture of a Pair of Burglars.

Between one and two o'clock yesterday morning Mr. R. D. McIntyre, residing on Observatory Hill, back of Allegheny, was awakened by hearing a noise in the house. He listened a few moments and satisfying himself as from whence the noise proceeded, he hastily dressed himself, but before he could reach the room, the burglars had departed, taking with them two silver watches, valued at fifty dollars, about thirty-five dollars in National currency, and a ten dollar gold piece. He determined pursuit. So arming himself with a repeating rifle, he started on his tramp. The snow, which had just fallen, gave him a good opportunity to discover their tracks. One of the thieves wore gum overshoes, while the other had on boots run down at the heel, and from this their tracks were easily recognized. He followed the tracks to the intersection of Federal and Jackson streets, where the snow drift had covered all the footprints. He then concluded to go for assistance, and, with that purpose in view, proceeded to the Mayor's office, where he found officers Brooks, Crowel and Noble. When informed of his business and how he had followed thieves, the officers promptly responded, and finding with some difficulty the traces of the robbers, they followed them on to the river and along the river to the Hand street bridge. Here the bridge-tender informed them that two men had gone across a short time ago. The quartette followed on to Pittsburgh, where they traced them to a saloon on Canal street where they had stopped for refreshments. From there they found their tracks to the American House, where the night-clerk informed them the two men as described had just retired to their room; that they were a regular boarder and his friend. The clerk took them to their room, where the pair were comfortably reposing after their little tramp. The officers immediately recognized them as Jimmy Campbell, "the regular boarder" and his friend as Thomas Duine, both escaped convicts from the Work House. An investigation of the room found all of Mr. McIntyre's property, but the ten dollar gold piece. The prisoners did not offer any resistance, and were taken to Allegheny.

Letters Held for Postage.—Mrs. Laptenberger, Baltimore, Md., 3c; Mrs. John Klump, Lancaster, Pa., 3c; Joseph McKnight, Greensburg, Pa., 3c; Shadrick Williams, Stuart, Iowa, 3c; Matt. Preston, Cuba, Mo., 3c; Hays & Wilson, Washington, Pa., 3c; James Doak, Strabane, Pa., 3c; Mrs. J. J. Sloan, Brooklyn, Iowa, 3c; T. Porter, Bucyrus, Ohio, 6c; William Crabtree, Syracuse, N. Y., 3c; Rev. C. V. Neeson, Marionville, Pa., 3c; Robert Martin, East Fairfield, Ohio, 3c; C. P. Ruff, Mt. Pleasant, Pa., 3c; M. Dalzell, Evansville, Ind., 3c; Miss Maggie Pedersen, Canonsburg, Pa., 3c; Andrew Hobhouse, Mt. Pleasant, Pa., 1c; C. A. Kimmell, Braddocks Field, Pa., 1c.

PITTSBURGH COUNCILS.

Regular Meeting Yesterday.

The Police Question Settled by an Increase of the Force—Arranging Matters for the South Side—A Large Batch of Ordinances Considered—The Wilkinsburg Annexation—Providing an Armory for the Militia—A Balance Sheet from the Water Commission—Something About "Braddock's Defeat"—Reports from the Committees—Lively Debates and Important Business.

Pittsburgh Councils held a regular meeting yesterday afternoon, December 9, 1872.

SELECT COUNCIL.

A. H. GROSS.......President
E. S. MORROW.......Clerk

This branch was called to order at fifteen minutes past two o'clock by President Gross, the following members being present: Messrs. Ahl, Adams, Aiken, Asdale, Atterbury, R B Brown, Chislett, Chalmers, Chess, Durling, Dorrington, Doyle, Fetterman, Foster, Friday, Goldthorpe, Haines, Hays, Herron, Hoeh, House, Hunter, Jeremy, E. P. Jones, J. H. Jones, Kernan, Lang, Lally, Laufman, Liddell, Littell, Lloyd, Miller, McCarthy, McCune, McDonald, McKee, Marshall, Morrow, Murray, Montooth, Neely, Och, Pearson, Phillips, Rafferty, Riddell, Scully, Schmidt, Schultz, Seely, Shipton, Smith, Wainwright, Walters, Wilson, Zern, Atkinson, G. A. Brown, Chambers, Duncan, Donnelly, and President Gross.

Clerk MORROW read the minutes, which were approved.

Regular business was then taken up.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Mr. SHIPTON presented a communication from the City Controller in regard to certain assessments. Referred to Committee on Appeals from City Assessments.

Also, a communication from Finance Committee in reference to claims of M. Addis and John King for building foot-walk, with recommendation that they be not paid. Received and filed.

Also, report on claims of Thomas Jones for overpaid assessment on Bedford avenue. The committee reported a resolution for warrant to the amount of $88 in Mr. Jones' favor. Report received and resolution read three times and passed finally under a suspension of rules.

Also, ordinance providing for warrants for payment of officers conducting city elections on December 3, 1872, providing for payment of $1,50 to each man. Ordinance passed finally under suspension of rules.

Also, resolution authorizing Controller to pay Mr. Chas. W. Houston $16 for services as page to Council previous to his election as assistant to City Clerk. Passed finally under suspension of rules.

Mr. LIDDELL, preamble and resolutions, setting forth that the Allegheny wharf was not a paying institution, and referring the matter to the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform to ascertain if a consolidation of the office of Allegheny wharfmaster with the Monongahela was not practicable and expedient. Referred.

Mr. E. P. JONES, petition from Margeret E. Hara, asking a re-hearing on opening of part of Forbes street. Referred to Road Committee.

Also, report of Road Committee for November 1872, showing expenditures of $1,457 35 divided as follows:

First District	$392 42
Second District	668 27
Third District	396 66

Received and filed.

Also, ordinance for grading, paving and curbing of Grove street from Center avenue to Rose street. Passed finally under suspension of rules.

Also, ordinance for opening Bayard street from Amberson avenue to Bellefield street. Read three times and passed under suspension of rules.

Also, ordinance for grading of Sylvan avenue. Read three times and passed finally under suspension of rules.

Mr. AIKEN, ordinance changing name of portion of Centre avenue from its intersection with Ellsworth avenue to Penn avenue to Ellsworth avenue. Passed finally under suspension of rules.

Also petition for grading, paving and curbing of Ellsworth avenue under Penn avenue act. Received and filed; ordinance accompanying authorizing the work to be done, passed finally under a suspension of rules.

THE WILKINSBURG APPEAL.

President GROSS—(Mr. McCune in the Chair) presented a petition from citizens of Wilkinsburg asking for admission into the city. The petition set forth the provisions made for the annexation of outside districts, described the boundaries of the territory to be taken in, and was accompanied by an affidavit to the effect that over three-fifths of the citizens had signed the petition. Accompanying the paper was an ordinance. The papers were received.

President GROSS then offered a resolution referring the whole matter to the City Solicitor to examine the papers and report to Council whether all the required provisions necessary to annexation had been complied with.

Mr. PHILLIPS wanted to know if the proposed annexation was to be on the basis of two-thirds tax on valuation for taxable purposes. He was not in favor of taking in any more territory on that basis.

President GROSS said he did ask the passage of the ordinance at present, but merely desired to have the matter referred to the City Solicitor to see if all the legal requirements had been complied with.

Mr. HUNTER offered a remonstrance from the citizens of Wilkinsburg against the annexation.

Mr. PHILLIPS wanted to know under which act it was proposed to take them in.

President GROSS explained that it was on the same basis as the South Side, with the proviso that that portion which was marked "rural," indicating that it was used for agricultural purposes, was to be assessed on the two hundred and thirteen basis; the rest just the same as the city.

Mr. J. H. JONES proposed an amendment referring the matter to a select committee of two from Select and three from Common Council to consider all the papers, see if the provisions had been complied with, and report all other information they might deem necessary to Councils.

Mr. RIDDELL thought the resolution of the member from the Twentieth ward (President Gross) was certainly the proper action. Referring it to the City Solicitor was the most appropriate method of treating the matter, and after that Councils could take definite action.

Mr. PHILLIPS thought there was no use of taking any such preliminary action unless Councils felt disposed to take some final action and receive Wilkinsburg. He was opposed to receiving any new territory unless it came in under the same conditions as the South Side—on the same basis of taxation as the old city.

After some further discussion Mr. Chalmers rose to a point of order, claiming that under rules no debate was in order until all the wards were called.

Mr. J. H. Jones moved to suspend the rules, to consider the matter. Lost.

Mr. Jones' amendment for a special committee was then taken up and voted down.

The original resolution as offered by President Gross was then passed.

President Gross presented a petition from C. C. Johnston asking for permisssion to place his patent gas lamp on the corner of Fifth Avenue and Smithfield streets. Referred to Committee on Gas with power to act.

President Gross then resumed the chair and the call of the wards was continued.

Mr. FETTERMAN, an ordinance to repeal an ordinance for the opening of Pierpont street so far as the same provided for the opening of the street to Bertha street, and fixing the distance to be opened as between Spruce and Bingham streets. Laid over until next meeting.

Mr. DORRINGTON, an ordinance for the construction of a bridge on Main street over Saw Mill Run.

The ordinance was read three times and passed under a suspension of the rules.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. WAINWRIGHT, from the Committee on Markets, presented their report for November, showing the receipts to be $2,799.04; expenses, $754.62; balance, $2,044.42. Received and filed.

Mr. MONTOOTH, from the Committee on Ordinances, reported an ordinance regulating the letting of contracts by the city. The ordinance was passed finally under a suspension of the rules.

The Committee also returned, with negative recommendations, the ordinances relative to awnings and relative to obstruction of streets. Report received and the two ordinances laid over.

Mr. MURRAY, petition for opening of Park avenue from Penn avenue to eastern boundary line of city. Ordinance read three times and passed finally.

SOUTH SIDE MATTERS.

Mr. ATTERBURY presented the report of the special committee appointed to confer with the Police Committee in reference to police for the South Side; reported that they united with the Police Committee in asking sixty men for the South Side, which was the smallest number that would answer for police protection on the South Side. Report received and filed.

Mr. MCKEE, from the special committee appointed for the purpose, presented an ordinance dividing the South Side into three districts for street purposes, and providing for a Commissioner for each at an annual salary of $1,000.

Mr. PHILIPS thought the South Side might get along with two Street Commissioners. The first ten wards of the old city only had two Street Commissioners.

Mr. DORRINGTON contended that some of the committee thought they ought to have four instead of three commissioners. The territory was very large and covered almost as much ground as the twenty-three wards of the old city, and it was a territory that was rough and needed great attention. It was designed to make the commissioners act as Street and Road Commissioners.

Mr. FETTERMAN said he favored four Street Commissioners, but at last they had agreed to reduce the number to three, and they could not get along without them. A glance at the territory would convince any one of that. Pittsburgh had now three Street Commissioners and three Road Commissioners. The South Side only asked for three men in all, and that surely was not an exorbitant demand.

Mr. E. P. JONES thought the salaries should only be $800—the same as the present Commissioners were paid.

Mr. J. H. JONES moved to amend to make the salaries $800.

Mr. PHILLIPS hoped that would not pass. He believed in paying men decent salaries. No good man could be had for $800. He did not object to the salary but the number.

Mr. ATTERBURY said before consolidation the South Side had twelve Street Commissioners.

Mr. RIDDELL was in favor of the ordinance as presented.

The amendments were then voted down.

The report was then accepted and the ordinance read three times and passed finally under suspension of rules.

Old business from Common Council was then taken up, and a concurrence had in passing resolution asking ordinance Committee to prepare ordinance increasing City Engineers' term to three years.

Mr. ASDALE offered an ordinance regulating the running of railroad trains upon and over the streets and crossings in the city. Referred to Ordinance Committee.

THE MILITARY.

Mr. PEARSON offered a resolution, authorizing the Market Committee to let to the National Guard the old Council Chambers in the Diamond for ten years, at an annual rental of $800 per annum. In connection with the resolution, he stated that the city was compelled by law to provide an armory for the military. That in New York hundreds of thousands of dollars were expended in that way by the city. That Baltimore had fitted up a drill hall for the Fifth Maryland Regiment at a cost of $90,000, and that other cities throughout Pennsylvania were making liberal provisions for the National Guard.

Mr. WAINWRIGHT moved to fix the rent at $1,000.

Mr. CHALMERS thought Council had nothing to do with the matter. It should be settled by the Market Committee, and he proposed to refer it to them.

Mr. E. P. JONES said the Market Committee apparently desired instructions from Councils, as they had not been able to agree upon the price.

After some further discussion, Mr. PEARSON yielded to Mr. WAINWRIGHT'S amendment, to fix the price at $1,000.

Mr. J. H. JONES moved to grant the Guard the use of the place without compensation, and the motion was carried by a large majority.

In Common Council, after considerable debate, the term of years was reduced to five, and the remainder of select Council's action concurred in.

"BRADDOCK'S DEFEAT."

Mr. PEARSON offered a resolution instructing the Committee on City Property to negotiate with Mr. Henry Mosler for the purchase of the painting, "Braddock's Defeat." To be hung in the Reception Room.

Mr. PHILLIPS moved as an amendment that the Members of Council raise the money for the picture by subscription. He could not vote to take it out of the City Funds, although he thought the city should own the picture.

Mr. J. H. JONES moved to refer the matter to the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform. (Laughter.)

Mr. RIDDELL favored the subscription plan, provided the members gave according to ability. The man who was worth $1,000 to give $10, the man who was worth $10,000 to give $100, and the man who was worth a million (significantly turning toward Colonel Phillips) to pay the whole bill. [Great laughter]. Seriously, however, the gentleman thought the matter should be referred to a Special Committee to report upon the artistic merits of the picture, its value, and the expediency of purchasing it, so that Councils might have all the facts in the case.

After some further discussion, the Chair read a similar resolution from C. C., in which the matter was referred to a special committee, and this action was concurred in, but the committee not named.

THE GAS COMPANY.

Mr. JEREMY offered a preamble and resolution setting forth that it had been asserted that the failure of the Gas Company to provide gas for the city on two nights recently was a violation of their charter, and referring the matter to the City Solicitor for an opinion as to whether their charter was not forfeited.

The resolution was laid on the table by a vote of 19 to 21.

Adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

H. W. OLIVER, JR...............President.
H. MCMASTER...............Clerk.

This branch was called to order at a quarter past two o'clock—the following members being present:

Messrs. Allen, Arthurs, Arensberg, Barr, Barker, Baum, Beymer, Bindley, Boyd, Bryce, Brasher, Cameron, Carroll, Cohen, Darlington, Duff, D. L. Fleming, John Fleming, Follansbee, Fulton, Gallisaith, Gazzam, Hare, Hauch, Hays, Jones, Johns, Wm. Kerr, Jas. W. Kerr, Kohue, Lappan, Laughran, Lee, Liebler, Lowery, Mapie, Meyer, Moffitt, Joseph Moore, John Moore, Morgan, Mosely, McCandless, McConway, McGimpsey, Neeson, R. H. Negley, W. B. Negley, Oberheldman, Patterson, Pender, Raible, Rahauer, Richards, Rolfe, Semple, Sims, Sneathen, Spreyer, Trautman, Watson, West, Wilbert, Williams, Woolslayer and President Oliver.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was, on motion, dispensed with.

Mr. GAZZAM offered the following:

WHEREAS, Our citizens have recently suffered great loss and inconvenience in being deprived of sufficient gas-light for several days, and believing that the fault was in the management of the affairs of the Gas Company by its officers, Therefore,

Resolved, That the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform, in connection with the City Attorney, be instructed to investigate the causes of the want of gas-light in our city, and whether the city would not be entitled to damages; and also if the breach of contract upon the part of the Gas Company, in failing to furnish the proper amount of gas to the city, if arising from negligence or incompetency upon the part of the officers or other cause, would not work a forfeiture of its charter.

Resolution adopted, and the matter referred to the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform.

Mr. COHEN, petition of Geo. A. Kelley & Co., for damages sustained in the bursting of a water pipe on First avenue. Referred to the Finance Committe.

Mr. COHEN—I tender the resignation of myself and Mr. Gazzam, to take effect after the 1st of January. [Laughter.]

CHAIR—Do you wish the matter referred to the same committee, Retrenchment and Reform? [Renewed laughter.]

Mr. ARTHURS, an ordinance for the re-grading, re-paving and re-curbing of Smithfield street with wooden pavement, from Water street to Liberty street, the cost to be collected according to the report of viewers, which says that property holders on the street should pay for it. Passed finally. In S. C. on motion of Mr. Shipton, laid on the table.

Report of viewers on the opening of Charlotte street from Thirty-sixth street to Jeremy's lane. Approved.

Mr. MOFFITT offered a resolution for the building of public water closets throughout the city. Objected to and laid over.

Mr. MCCONWAY, an ordinance giving John Lapier privilege to erect an iron clad building. Rules suspended, and ordinance passed.

Mr. JOHN FLEMING, an ordinance supplementary to the ordinance for the improvement Forbes street from Brady street to Shady lane. Read three times and passed under suspension of the rules.

Mr. JOHN FLEMING also presented a petition from the citizens of the Fourteenth and adjoining wards asking the Road Committee to have Murphy street placed in repair to answer for ordinary travel. Referred to Road Committee.

Mr. JOHN FLEMING, petition to establish the grade of Murphy street. Referred to the Survey Committee.

Mr. WATSON, an ordinance to amend an ordinance authorizing the opening of Spencer avenue. Rules suspended, and ordinance read three times and passed finally.

Mr. EVAN JONES presented a resolution directing the Ordinance Committee to report an ordinance requiring the City Attorney to keep his office in the City Building, and providing an increase of his salary. Passed finally. Not reached in S. C.

Mr. JONES, petition for a sewer on Fifth avenue, from terminus of present sewer to Brady street. Referred to Road Committee.

Mr. ARENSBURG, petition for a gas lamp on Butler street, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets. Referred to the Gas Committee.

Mr. MORGAN, petition for a fire plug at the corner of Cedar street and Laurel avenue. Referred to Water Commission.

Mr. WATSON, Petition to have the opening and grading of Spruce avenue extension, at Homewood avenue, westward of city line, as originally ordered by ordinance. Received and filed.

Mr. M'CONWAY, from the Committee on Free Bridges within city limits, reported an ordinance appointing an additional standing committee, consisting of two from Select and three from Common Council, to be known as the "Bridge Committee," to whom the matter should be referred. Rules suspended and ordinance passed finally. Not reached in S. C.

OLD BUSINESS.

The ordinance authorizing the increase of the compensation of the Policemen of the city of Pittsburgh, was referred to Police Committee, with instructions to report at the next meeting.

The ordinance authorizing the extension of the Tenth street sewer to the south side of Liberty street, was called up and passed finally under a suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Mr. CARROLL submitted the report of the Board of Water Commissioners, as follows:

Water extension bonds sold	$ 40,300 00
Water extension bonds sold from October 1st	951,700 00
Total	$992,000 00
By amount paid Casper Negley purchase money for 4 571-1000 acres of land condemned as the property of C. B. Seely	$ 14,213 30
Balance of purchase money on the property purchased from Clarissa Herron	25,750 00
Wm. Robb for building offices on the reserve grounds	$ 2,210 00
For work done on Brilliant Hill reserve	5,977 22
For work done on Hiland avenue	6,837 72
For work done and material furnished for machinery (engines and pumps)	58,202 40
For water pipe and pipe laying	30,765 75
For expenses of office, engineer's department, transportation, &c.	6,833 06
Total	$150,788 85

Report received and filed.

POLICE MATTERS.

Mr. HARE, from the Police Committee, submitted the following:

Monthly bills	$1,646 87
Police pay roll for November	9,953 00
Total	$11,599 87

Report received and filed.

Mr. HARE also offered an ordinance fixing the number of the police force of the city as follows: One Chief of Police, one Captain, seven Detectives, seventeen Lieutenants, one hundred and ninety-one Patrolmen and nine lamp washers, making a total of two hundred and twenty-six. Rules suspended, ordinance read three times and passed finally. In S. C. concurred.

Mr. HARE also offered a resolution authorizing the Controller to issue his certificate on the Mayor for warrants in favor of N. Sullivan & Co., Henry Meyers, Gardning & Jones and Lowe & Wilson for $2,284 25 for police uniforms. Rules suspended and resolution read three times and passed finally. S. C. concurred.

Mr. HARE also offered an ordinance authorizing the Controller to issue his certificate on the Mayor for warrants in favor of all bills passed on by the Police Committee for the uniforming of the police force, unless otherwise provided for. Laid over.

MONONGAHELA WHARF.

Mr. CARROLL, from the Monongahela Wharf Committee, presented the following:

Receipts for November	$ 500 00
Expenditures	1,761 28
Expenses for dredging the Monongahela channel	15,635 00
Amount unpaid	9,135 00

Mr. CARROLL also offered a resolution authorizing the payment of the balance of $9,135 due the Monongahela Dredging Co. Resolution passed finally under suspension of the rules.

Mr. CARROLL also offered an ordinance providing for the election of a wharf master on the South Side, and fixing the salary at $1,000. Rules suspended, ordinance read three times and passed finally.

MAYOR'S SALARY.

Mr. JOHNS, from the Special Committee to whom was referred the matter of making the office of the Mayor a salaried one, and placing the perquisites in the City Treasury, recommended a postponement of action, as it is proposed by the Constitutional Convention to place all cities under one general law. Report received and filed.

"BRADDOCK'S DEFEAT."

Mr. COHEN offered a resolution appointing a committee of five, consisting of three from Common and two from Select Council to consider the project of purchasing the painting of "Braddock's Defeat," to be hung in the Municipal Building.

The resolution was adopted and the chair appointed Messrs. Cohen, Johns, and Rahauser.

Mr. DUFF, resolution that when Councils adjourn, they adjourn to meet on Monday, the 16th inst.

Mr. MCCANDLESS moved to amend to make it a special meeting on the 23d inst. Amendment carried, and motion as amended adopted; but S. C. refused to concur, and laid on the table.

SELECT COUNCIL BUSINESS.

Select Council business was then taken up, and all not otherwise noted was concurred in by Common Council.

The report of the Market Committee was read, with a resolution giving the third floor of the Market building for the use of the different military organizations of the city, as an armory, free of rent.

The report was opposed by several members, and occasioned considerable discussion.

Mr. MCGIMPSEY was opposed to concurrence. The matter had been before the Market Committee and several parties had offered rents, ranging from one thousand to seventeen hundred dollars, and for that reason he was opposed to allowing the military organizations to occupy it for nothing.

Mr. JONES was in favor of concurring, but suggested a reasonable rent be charged—eight hundred or one thousand dollars.

Mr. FULTON moved to amend the resolution, making the rent eight hundred dollars.

President OLIVER, having called Mr. McConway to the chair, spoke in favor of allowing the military companies the use of the room, free. He thought it the duty of Councils to provide a city armory, where the men might congregate, and in case of danger it would be for our own protection.

Mr. DARLINGTON said he was opposed to charging the soldiers this rent when it would finally come out of the Treasury of the city. He thought it the duty of the city to provide an armory for their soldiers.

Mr. JOHN FLEMING advocated the concurrence in the action of Select Council.

Mr. FULTON asked the privilege to withdraw his amendment, and as no objection was made the amendment was withdrawn.

Mr. JONES moved to amend by fixing the time at five years instead of ten.

Mr. MCCANDLESS moved that the matter be referred to the City Solicitor.

President OLIVER opposed this motion, and thought such action would be very inappropriate.

Mr. JONES moved the previous question, and the vote was taken on Mr. McCandless motion, resulting in its being rejected.

The vote on Mr. Jones amendment was then taken and the amendment carried. The resolution as amended was then adopted.

On motion adjourned.

POLITICS IN ALLEGHENY.

The Municipal Elections To-day—The Opposition in the Field—Let Republicans Turn Out in Force—A Lively Day Anticipated.

The Municipal elections take place in Allegheny to-day, and a lively time is anticipated, from the fact that opposition has been developed in several of the wards against the regular Republican tickets. It is hardly probable that any of these independent tickets will succeed, but everything depends upon the turn out of voters. Every Republican should make it a special business to be on hand at the polls as early as possible and see that the tickets nominated in the regular way—at the primaries—are supported by his vote and influence.

The Republican tickets thus nominated on Saturday are in every way worthy of support. Yet there are some who are not satisfied, and hence "smooth-bore" tickets have been put in the field. In the First ward the only opposition is in Alderman. In the Second ward there is opposition in the Select Council ticket, Aldermanship, and some of the minor offices, but the regular candidates, in all probability, will go through without trouble. In the Third ward no opposition is manifested to Mr. McBrier for Select Council, but the "smooth-bore" is on the Common Council ticket and other offices. There will likely be a lively fight on the School Directorship between Messrs. Faas and Oxley, who were "tied" at the primaries. In the Seventh ward Mr. Patterson for Select Council has no opposition, but an independent ticket cuts in on the Common Council.

In the Seventh and Ninth wards citizens tickets are out, which is generally the case as political lines are not strongly marked in these districts. In the other wards, there is no opposition to the Council ticket.

The "smoothbores" will import animation to the canvass, but as we have said, if Republican do their duty, the straight tickets will not fail. The importance of these local elections to taxpayers cannot be over estimated and no good citizen can afford to withhold his ballot to-day.

A False Statement Corrected.

ALLEGHENY, December 9, 1872.

The report having been circulated throughout the First ward, Allegheny, that the member of the Board of Poor Directors from that ward (Mr. Thomas Scandrett) had given the contract for the grading and excavating at the new City Home to a certain party, the work to be done for $3,000, and that the amount of work now done amounted to $8,000, this is to certify that the contract for the grading and excavating was awarded at a regular meeting of the Board held on July 2d, 1872. Mr. F. Gwinner was the lowest bidder for the work, and the contract was awarded to him at his proposal—32½c per cubic yard—and Mr. Scandrett had nothing more to do with the awarding of the contract further than being a member of the Board and being present at the meeting.

ROBERT D. MCGONNIGLE,
Secretary.

A Word to the Voters of the Second Ward, Allegheny City.

Mr. David McKelvey is making an effort to secure the Aldermanship of this ward, not so much for the honor of the position as to furnish the means of supporting his large family, and as his health has been very poor it would be an act of humanity on the part of the voters of this ward if they would thus enable him to assume the duties for which his *knowledge* of such matters, acquired during a number of years with Alderman Humbert, has so eminently fitted him. He is a loyal Republican and a good citizen, respected by all who know him, and he stands in need of our practical sympathies. Let every true-hearted, charitable minded voter cast his ballot where it will do some good.

MANY VOTERS.

Second Ward, Allegheny.

In our report of the nominations for Common Council in the Second ward, Allegheny, yesterday, we were in error as to the vote given. The following is the correct vote:

W. W. Ackley, 721*; Isaac Rigby, 714*; Alfred Slack, 665*; W. H. Graham, 612*; W. P. Price, 473*; James Wilson, 433. Those marked with an asterisk were the successful candidates.

POLICE PARAGRAPHS.

Brief Mention of Criminalities.

MATTHEW MUNN put down his money, $10 and costs, for merely having a slight jollification before Deputy Mayor Barker yesterday.

MARKUS WILER charged Henry Palmer with aggravated assault and battery. The defendant was arrested and gave bail for a hearing.

JAMES MCCLOSKEY getting more than enough of fighting whisky was taken in tow by Officer Lang and taken before Deputy Mayor Heisel, who held him to answer.

MAYOR BLACKMORE yesterday committed Delilah Lindsay, a colored girl, fifteen years of age, to the House of Refuge, on a charge of incorrigibility, preferred by her father.

ALDERMAN MCMASTERS issued a warrant yesterday for the arrest of Barney Gallagher, who is charged by Mollie B. Eddy with assault in knocking her down without provocation.

JOHN VOGEL, of No. 1005 Carson street, made information before Alderman Krehan charging two boys named Robeck and Wierdstein with stealing from his show windows. A warrant has been issued.

WILLIAM KING made oath before Mayor Blackmore charging George Ewing with selling liquor on Sunday. The defendant is the proprietor of the American Hotel, on Penn avenue. He was arrested and will have a hearing to-day.

BEFORE Mayor Mayor Callow, yesterday, Wendel Hellemerth made information against David Jackson with larceny as bailee. The prosecutor borrowed a wagon from defendant and gave him $10 as security, which he refused to refund when the wagon was returned.

A CAR DRIVER on the Ormsby line named Johnson was brought before Alderman Kriehan, of the Twenty-eighth ward (South Side), yesterday, and charged by officers of the company with appropriating part of the fares which he received to his own use. He was held to answer.

SARAH SHERRET made an information yesterday before the Mayor, charging Mary Jones with the larceny of a dress worth fifty dollars. The defendant was arrested, but proved that she had obtained the dress at Strain's pawn shop, on St. Clair street. The woman had worked for Mr. Strain, and received the dress as pay.

MRS. ANNA ING charged her husband, James Ing, before Mayor Callow, with disorderly conduct, in coming home drunk and setting his house on fire by going to bed with a lighted pipe in his mouth. They reside on Monterey street, Allegheny, and the readers of the GAZETTE will remember the circumstance of the fire reported some days since.

YESTERDAY, before Alderman McMasters, Henry G. Mentzer charged John Martin and Frank Hay, two of his neighbors in Pine township, with a breach of the peace, in coming to his house on the Sabbath day, armed with sticks and sundry other weapons, threatening to end his mortal existence. Warrants were issued for their arrest.

THE Walsh's and Collins's had it out yesterday on the pugilistic line, and finally landed for a referee before Alderman McMasters, who with his urbane manner kindly accepts the office. Mrs. Walsh makes complaint against Mary Collins for abusing her and threatening to deform her visage, tramp upon her, etc. Mr. Walsh also makes complaint against the party, but here steps in John Collins and says that angelic Mrs. Walsh affectionately caressed him, which same leaves him void two teeth and black eye and bunged up nose, all he has to show for her kindness.

A Meritorious Invention.

If there ever was an invention that was meritorious, the American Button-hole and Overseaming Machine comes up to that standard. Though not put upon the market so soon as some others, it was not long before its merits became known, and it took a front rank in popular favor. Its simplicity of construction is a strong point in its favor, as it is thereby not rendered so liable to get out of order, and is also much more easily managed by the operator. Then, too, the Button hole attachment is another special feature of the machine which will commend it to all seamstresses, for this is one of the greatest inventions connected with the sewing machine.

The agent, Mr. James Espy, has a fine assortment of all styles of the American, at No. 178 Liberty street, and it would pay all in need of a sewing machine to give him a call.

Smashed-Up Locomotives at Grove & Bair's, 145 Federal street, Allegheny.

THE COURTS.

Yesterday's Proceedings.

CRIMINAL COURT—JUDGE STOWE.

Commonwealth vs. Mary Johnston. Felonious assault and battery. Guilty of unlawful cutting.

Commonwealth vs. James Scott. Surety of peace. *Nolle pros* on payment of costs.

Commonwealth vs. Henry Thompson. *Nol contendere.*

Commonwealth vs. same. Selling [illegible] liquor. Plead guilty, and *nolle pros* entered on payment of costs.

Commonwealth vs. Patrick Sigh and Patrick Noonan, entering a dwelling house with intent to commit a felony. The former plead guilty and was sentenced to one year and ten months imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Commonwealth vs. Charles Shirer. Felonious assault and battery. Four months to the Workhouse.

Commonwealth vs. Charles Mason. Felonious assault and battery. Sentenced to three years and ten months to the penitentiary.

Trial List for Tuesday.

Commonwealth versus

John Adley,
John Golden,
John Roe, et al.
Kate Realf,
John Erysey,
John Laybacker,
Joseph King,
Gotthard Wellmer,
Regina School,
John Graham,
Joseph Burkhart,
James Cox, et al.
Laura Adley,
John Colls,
Robert Browne,
Martin Hawn,
Elijah Powell,
John G. Henry,
James Parker.

COMMON PLEAS—JUDGES STERRETT AND COLLIER.

The first case called was that of S. S. Fowler's assignee vs. Youghiogheny Shaft Company. This is an action on an account, and involves a large amount of money. The defendants claim that they are not liable inasmuch as they sold the works and gave sufficient legal notice of the same to the plaintiff. The case was on trial when Court adjourned.

Trial List for To-day.

No. 131. Keefe vs. McCloy.
" 76. McCully et. ux. vs. Stanton.
" 109. McClain vs. Cunningham.
" 111. Hunkele vs. Broadhead.
" 112. Cruikshank vs. Park.
" 122. Warner vs. Ray & Campbell.
" 123. McClurkan, Trustee, vs. Byers & Co.
" 124. McClurkan, Trustee, vs. Byers & Co.
" 125. McClurkan, Trustee, vs. Byers & Co.
" 126. McClurkan, Trustee, vs. Byers & Co.
" 154. Atlas Works vs. McKee.
" 156. Hoffman & Hale vs. Jenkins.
" 159. Taggart vs. Boschert et. al.
" 164. Dodson vs. Weddell.
" 170. Guffey vs. Pierce.

DISTRICT COURT—JUDGE KIRKPATRICK.

Edward Mansfield and John Fitzsimmons, partners as Mansfield & Fitzsimmons, vs. Andrew J. Griggs. Action on an account. On trial.

On motion of David Reed, Esq., Andrew S. Miller was admitted to practice as an attorney in this Court.

The next case taken up was that of Littell and Mechling against J. S. Normine. Action on an account. Jury out.

TRIAL LIST FOR TO DAY.

64. D. Maley vs. Mary O. Phillips.
9. Buente & Co. vs. A. G. Walter.
115. Mellon Bros. vs. Hilty.
116. Wm. Burke, Sr., vs. T. McCount.
89. Huckenstine vs. Calhoun & Co.
90. Same vs. same.
120. McKenney's, administrator, vs Dickey & Son.
141. B. Wellington vs. J. Stofft.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—JUDGE M'CANDLESS.

A. R. Curtis, of Warren county, filed a petition for adjudication in bankruptcy against himself. Referred to Register Woodruff.

In the bankruptcy matter of Caughey, Walker & Co., against Clark, Snyder & Co., of Erie county, a denial having been filed, jury trial ordered at the next January term at Erie.

In the matter of Rinehart & Stevens, bankrupts, the assignees ordered to sell the stock of groceries, &c., of said bankrupts at public or private sale, as they may deem for the best interests of the creditors.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT—JUDGE M'KENNAN.

The hearing in the Hamar case, was continued in this Court yesterday morning. Hamar is charged with contempt in refusing to heed the injunction put upon him by the Court to restrain him from infringing on the Oil Well Torpedo Patent of Mr. E. A. L. Roberts. The examination of witnesses was continued, and at the conclusion addresses were made for the defence by Wm. Blakely, Esq., and for the prosecution, Hon. H. B. Swope. Judge McKennan then delivered a verbal opinion, that the fact of the contempt had been proven beyond all question, and in conclusion remarked, "we cannot resist the conclusion that this man (Hamar) is laboring under some extraordinary illusion, or that he is a man of extraordinary perverseness. However, we must see that the rights of persons are protected, and the decrees of this Court enforced. The rule is therefore made absolute, and an attachment is ordered." The defendant was then remanded into the custody of the U. S. Marshal and will be called up this morning for sentence.

THE MINEHART CASE.

The next case taken up was that of John Minehart, charged with dealing in counterfeit money. This is the case which has been "hanging on" for more than a year past, and all its details are familiar to our readers. Minehart was at one time proprietor of the National Hotel, on Water street, which, at the time it is alleged, was a resort for "shovers" of counterfeit greenbacks. Minehart subsequently, it is charged, engaged directly in the business himself and flooded Lawrenceville and East Liberty with notes on the Poughkeepsie National Bank, was finally caught and identified, and has since been in jail awaiting trial. The case has been postponed several times on account of Minehart's ill-health, and again because of the absence of important witnesses, but will likely be put through this time.

A jury was obtained yesterday afternoon and all the preliminaries arranged when the Court adjourned.

PERSONAL.

***Edmund Yates comes next in the Library course.

***Josiah Cohen, Esq. is inclined to treat the result of the election in the First ward rather humorously.

***The tie vote between Messrs. Oxley and Fass for School Director in the Third ward, Allegheny, has created considerable animation. The matter will be settled to-day.

***Colonel William Phillips, President of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, says the Titusville *Courier*, has recently done a very handsome thing by the Soldiers' Orphan School of that city. The other day Mr. Berry received a letter from Colonel Phillips stating that coal for the school would be shipped free over the Allegheny Valley Railroad and all its branches from any point Mr. Berry might designate. This kind act on the part of Mr. Phillips is duly appreciated, not only by Mr. Berry, but by the entire community, every member of which takes great interest in the Soldiers' Orphan School.

There will be a Free Lecture in the First Methodist Church, Fifth avenue, to-night, by Gen. Neal Dow.

Domestic.

In their search after a good sewing machine it would be the part of wisdom for any of our lady readers to drop in at No. 24 Sixth street, and take the opportunity to examine into the merits of the "Domestic," which has been before the public for years, and has thoroughly attested its excellence. The chief point of superiority in the Domestic is the fact that it has been so simplified in its mechanism that it is always in order, and can be managed by a child. While for general range of family sewing it answers perfectly every requirement. Those who have the Domestic in use,—and there are hundreds in our community,—are loud in their praises of its excellence, and in every case it has given satisfaction. We commend the Domestic to our readers. It is manufactured by the Domestic Sewing Machine Co. the general office in Pittsburgh being at 24 Sixth street.

Extra! Extra! Holiday Goods!

We have just received and will sell at much reduced prices:

1,000 dozen initial and motto handkerchiefs.
400 dozen hemstitched linen handkerchiefs.
200 dozen gent's linen handkerchiefs.
150 dozen silk fichus and scarfs, all shades.
1,200 real lace collars and cuffs; also a full line of kid gloves, lined Berlin gloves, velvet and felt hats, pocketbooks, satchel belts, sashes and sash ribbons, and a full line of fancy goods, suitable for presents. Call and examine.

ROSENBAUM & FLEISHMAN,
2w 76 Market street.

A Universal Article of Faith.—In these days of religious contention it has been thought impossible to indicate an article of faith upon which *all* sects and classes were united. There is one, however, and a very notable one too, viz: a belief which is implicit and universal in the paramount efficacy of that matchless HOUSEHOLD TONIC AND RECUPERANT, PLANTATION BITTERS. The constantly increasing patronage which it receives has, it is true, excited the petty envy of certain splenetic advertisers of pinchbeck panaceas, who hope to make a market for their own stagnant, watery wares, by decrying all spirituous medical preparations. But the public can stomach neither their arguments nor their potations, and consequently reject these very weak imitations of the enemy as entirely too thin! T.T.H.S.

Go to Neal Dow's lecture to-night in First Methodist Church, Fifth avenue. Free seats.

Pennsylvania Female College.

A lecture will be delivered in the chapel on the evening of Tuesday, the 10th inst., by Prof. Walter L. Rankin, commencing at 8 o'clock. Subject: Astronomical Geography. Free to all.

The Real Estate offered at Orphans' Court Sale to-day, is worthy the consideration of those wanting a safe investment. Full particulars are given in the advertisement on first page.

The Great Temperance Orator, Neal Dow, of Maine, will lecture in First Methodist Church, Fifth avenue, to-night. Seats free.

Our lady readers who use human and artificial hair, will find at Mr. R. A. Hall's, No. 79 Fourth avenue, a complete stock of the very best and latest style. Mr. Hall and wife are both skillful workers in all kinds of switches, braids, wigs, &c., and their hair, they can recommend; special attention is paid to dressing ladies' and misses' hair for weddings, parties, &c.; also trimming hair. Parties desiring it will be waited on at their residences. Order left at their store, 79 Fourth avenue, will receive prompt attention.

Alleghenians, why go to Pittsburgh for Holiday goods when you can buy cheaper at home. Grove & Bair, in the Central Hotel building, offer their full and complete stock at figures which cannot but give satisfaction.

Remember Gen. Neal Dow lectures to-night in First Methodist Church, Fifth avenue.

A. B. C., building and picture blocks at Grove & Bair's, 145 Federal street, Allegheny.

SOLDIERS' ORPHANS.

Opening of the New Building of the Phillipsburg Soldiers' Orphan School.

The formal opening of the new and splendid building of the Soldiers' Orphan School took place on Thursday, the 5th instant, at 11 o'clock. Dispatches were read from Governor Geary, General Hartranft, Josiah [illegible], Montooth [illegible], Esq., and Maj. [illegible], expressing regret at being unable to be present.

THE ORPHANS.

The orphans (one hundred and fifty or sixty in number,) were all dressed in handsome new suits. The girls had a handsome wine-colored mohair poplin dress and overskirt, trimmed with black alpacca, and white collars and blue sashes, presenting to the eye in the cleanliness of their persons, the arrangement of their hair, their simple adornments, as well as the neatness and taste of their dress, the intelligence of their countenances and the quiet and propriety of their manners, the evidence of social as well as intellectual culture. The boys had new dark blue cloth jackets, and light blue kersey trowsers, and new boots, and presented a handsome appearance on military drill.

THE OPENING EXERCISES.

The exercises were deeply interesting, both to orphans and visitors. They were opened with reading of the Scriptures and prayer by Rev. J. M. Shields, of Bridgewater. A song of welcome, arranged by Miss M. M. Taylor for the occasion, was sung by the school.

It was expected the Hon. J. P. Wickersham, LL. D. would make the dedication speech, but being detained by official business, Rev. Mr. Milligan occupied his place, and in a very handsome and interesting speech set forth the importance of the work of the Soldiers' Orphan School, and the success of the Phillipsburg school. He said that this State stood in the front rank in this particular, and that this school had deserved the confidence of the community and State, and the love and gratitude of the soldiers' orphans, and that the fine building, erected at the private expense of Rev. W. G. Taylor, was a credit to the State; he then showed the orphans their duty under these favorable circumstances, and presented many motives to effort on their part. The choir then sang well the song, "Let us have peace." Rev. Mr. Locke, of Beaver, followed in an interesting speech on the importance of the house, as it introduced the orphans into a new and fine building, handsomely furnished, and fitted in its minutest particulars to the work for which it is designed.

He was followed by Mr. Knight, Beaver County Supt., in appropriate remarks on the nature of the work of the Soldiers' Orphans School, and the price at which it was instituted and sustained, viz: The blood of their fathers, the treasures of the State, and the labors of such men and women as the Principal, and those associated with him, in the work. He said that while he had visited this school oftener than any other in the county, he had not seen anything but what met his hearty approval, and also that it was a school of which Beaver county was justly proud. He was followed by Dr. Marquis, the physician of the school, in commendation of the workings of the school, as it fell under his weekly inspection, and of the enthusiasm of the Principal in his labors and plans for the advancement and comfort of these soldiers' orphans. Then followed a song by the choir, which was well executed. Closed with the benediction by Rev. Mr. Milligan. Then followed military drill by the boys.

THE DINNER.

After which the audience and orphans sat down to a most sumptuous feast of fowls, pies, cakes, &c., provided by Mr. Taylor, and presided over by his accomplished wife and daughters. After which the visitors adjourned to the spacious parlors, and spent the afternoon in social enjoyment.

THE BUILDING.

The new building is joined to the old at the south end, making a front of 114 feet by 44 feet deep. The new building is 34 feet front by 44 feet deep, and four stories high. From the first floor to the top of the observatory it is 54 feet, and presents a beautiful appearance to the eye, having two fronts with porticoes, east and south. Its adaptation to the use for which it is occupied is remarkably good. It contains, in addition to the out-building, a girls' hall, for sewing and sitting, 40 by 20 feet, a culinary, 40 by 11 feet. This contains a large oven that will bake one hundred and twenty-five loaves, a large portable oven with twenty-five square feet of baking surface, for roasting, baking cakes, pies and other cooking, a large double range containing two forty-five gallon kettles for boiling purposes and water. Next story contains a large double parlor, 34 by 18 feet; reception room, 15 by 19 feet; office, 12 by 19 feet; and two halls, all carpeted and handsomely furnished. The third floor contains one large dormitory, 34 by 18 feet; two chambers, 15 by 19 feet; two halls, seventy-two clothing boxes for girls' clothing, and seven large wardrobes; the whole is handsomely furnished and carpeted. The fourth story is a boys' dormitory, divided into three rooms, and the side next the old building has a section of 6 by 44 feet cut off for storage; the whole building being well furnished with clothes presses. It is handsomely grained in oak and walnut throughout. It has a fine observatory rising from the centre of the roof. The heater makes the first story and halls and dormitories very comfortable; the other rooms have fires. The building and its appointments and furniture reflect great credit upon the liberality and taste of Prof. W. G. Taylor, and shows the parental care he and his wife have over the orphans.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

Ladies' Furs—New Styles.

Ladies' furs—nothing is more fashionable or more comfortable than a nice set of furs. The boa, the collar and the Eugenie, have entirely superceded the victorine and cape. But seal and Astrachan lamb sacques are quite fashionable. You will find a complete and extensive assortment of all the newest styles at the fashionable ladies' fur house of Wm. Fleming & Co., 139 Wood street.

Those who have a knowledge of the house need no assurance from us that the goods offered will be found to be such as represented, as the firm has an established reputation for reliability. There cannot be any more useful and acceptable present for the holidays than a nice set of furs.

Gold and Silver Watches.

In anticipation of a large holiday trade, which the house invariably receives, Mr. J. R. Reed & Co., No. 68 Fifth avenue, have laid in a nice assortment of holiday goods, among which especial attention is directed to their assortment of Gold and Silver Watches, of all kinds, from the ordinary lever to the most expensive chronometer, in all styles of cases for ladies or gentlemen, and warranted to be of the best class of material and workmanship. If any of our readers desire to purchase a time-keeper which they can rely upon, and one that will be a continual source of pleasure, we advise them to purchase at Messrs J. R. Reed & Co.'s, 68 Fifth avenue.

First Ward, Allegheny.

Esquire A. Bailie, of this ward, who has been for five years the efficient Alderman, received a re-nomination by the Republicans on Saturday last, and is the regular nominee of the party. We hope every good citizen will give him an active support to-day and select him for another term to an office which he has proved himself worthy to fill.

Good Advice.

Leave your order at once or make a selection from the stock at Urling, Follansbee & Co.'s, southwest corner of Wood street and Fifth avenue, if you want a neat, fancy, but desirable suit of clothing at a moderate price. Their stock comprises a fine lot of ready made goods for winter wear, besides a choice assortment of goods from which a selection can be made to fill an order, for overcoats, or undercoats, pants, vests, or gentlemen's outfit, there is no better place in the city than at Messrs Urling, Follansbee & Co.'s.

Citizen's Candidate for Director of the Poor, First Ward, Allegheny.—Mr. William Thompson—a man of well-known capability, integrity and honesty—is presented by the citizens as a candidate for the above office. Citizens! turn out to-day and give him your vote.

Vote for J. C. Buckley for Alderman.

Steam Engines cheap, at Grove & Bair's, in Central Hotel building, Allegheny City.

UNPRODUCTIVE FRAUDS.

Imitations and counterfeits of an established, popular restorative, although mischievous in their direct effects, are indirectly beneficial in some respects. They teach the community to rate at its just value the preparation that has been simulated and pirated. The reputation and sale of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, for example, have been greatly enhanced by the attempts that have been made to supplant it. The dupes of imposture who from time to time have been induced by plausible falsehoods to try some worthless succedaneum for the standard tonic of America have invariably returned to it in an enthusiastic frame of mind, ready to champion its merits to the uppermost. The warmest panegyrists of its preventive and curative properties are those who have weighed the nostrums of envious adventurers in the balance and found them wanting. In a pecuniary point of view, all attempts to undermine the popularity of this medicine have proved advantageous to the proprietors, and except for the sake of protecting the public, the game of exposure would not be worth the candle.

MARRIED:

CREESE—SANDLES—On Thursday evening, December 5, at the residence of G. P. Daniels, by Rev. B. T. Woodburn, Mr. WM. CREESE and Miss BECKIE N. SANDLES, all of Allegheny.

DIED.

LEONARD—On Sunday, December 8th, 1872, at 5:30 P. M., DENNIS LEONARD.

Funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 141 Penn street, TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at two o'clock.

BOYLE—On Monday morning, at 8 o'clock, Mrs. ABIGAIL BOYLE, widow of the late William Boyle, Sr., in the 77th year of her age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, No. 809 Penn avenue, to proceed to Allegheny Cemetery.

BLACKSTOCK—Suddenly, on Monday evening, at 5 o'clock, ELLEN, daughter of the late William Blackstock, at her late residence, No. 22 Anderson street, Allegheny.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

McCLELLAND—At the residence of his uncle, John McMinn, No. 3 Shingiss street, Pittsburgh, at 12 o'clock, Monday, December 9th, 1872, JOHN B. McCLELLAND, in the 22d year of his age.

The remains will be taken to his father's residence, in Mercer county, Pa., for interment.

LUTTON—On Sunday evening, December 8, at 8 o'clock, LOUISA JANE, daughter of James and Leonora Lutton, aged 9 years and 10 months.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 604 Penn avenue, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock.

BARNES—On Monday morning, December 9th, 1872, OLIVE WELDON, aged 4 years and 4 months, daughter of W. B. and Eva H. Barnes.

Funeral from the residence, No. 6 Sherman avenue, THIS AFTERNOON, 10th inst., at half-past 2 o'clock.

ALEXANDER AIKEN, UNDERTAKER, No. 166 FOURTH AVENUE. Coffins of all kinds, Shrouds, Crape, Gloves, and every description of Funeral Furnishing Goods furnished. Agent for Raymond & Co.'s Patent Metallic Burial Cases. Rooms open day and night. Hearses and Carriages furnished.

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AMUSEMENTS.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.
ELLSLER & GOTTHOLD.....Lessees and Managers
The Sensation of the Season.
Engagement of the eminent Character Actor, Mr.
DOMINICK MURRAY.
TUESDAY EVENING, Dec. 10, 1872, and during the week, when he will appear in the great Sensational Drama, written by Dominick Murray and C. W. Barray, entitled
ESCAPED FROM SING SING.
Mr. Murray............in 5 Characters.
Prologue—The Fall from the Balcony. Act 1—The Leap for Life. Act 2—Defeat of the Gang. Act 3—Escape from Sing Sing—The Bitter End—Grand Tableau and Effects.

FRED. AIMS' AMERICAN VARIETY THEATRE.
FRED. AIMS..........Lessee and Manager.
FITZSIMMONS.....Stage Manager and Advertiser.
THE NEW WONDERS TO-NIGHT.
Jester, the Talking Hand, Fanny Archer, Dancing Quartette, Fanny Lucille, Carrie Haines, Ida and Emma Ross, Pedanto, the Man Fly, Geo. and Chas Reynolds, Fagan and Edwards, Bowman and Harris, Burton, Minnie Rainforth, M'lle Elise, Tommy Winnett, extravaganza of Rip Van Winkle.
Wednesday and Saturday Matinee, 2:30 P. M.

TRIMBLE'S VARIETIES THEATRE
E. GARDNER & TRIMBLE.....Lessees and Managers.
THE BEST AND PLENTY OF THEM.
The great Billy Carter, Miss Clara Burton, Samuel Hamilton, the Victorelli's, the Nautical Drama of the "Female Pirate, or Land Sharks and Sea Gulls." All the star artistes in a sparkling Olio.
Ladies' Matinee Wednesday and Saturday.

CONCERT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE
Ladies' Charitable Association
Of the Homeopathic Hospital,
BY THE PITTSBURGH VOCAL CLUB,
Under the direction of Mr. JAS. GILES, at
LIBRARY HALL,
On Tuesday, December 10, 1872.
Concert will begin at 8 o'clock.
ADMISSION, 75 CENTS. de4:c72

FREE LECTURE IN THE
First Methodist Church,
FIFTH AVENUE,
THIS TUESDAY EVENING,
DECEMBER 10th, BY
Gen. NEAL DOW,
Of Maine.
Doors open at 7 o'clock. Lecture to commence at 8 o'clock. de10:c61

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Oldest Ins. Co. in America,
ASSETS, $2,312,175.90.
Insurance Co. of North America
OF PHILADELPHIA.
Losses adjusted and paid by
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Seeds, Plants, Flowers, Etc.
Our Catalogue of Vegetable and Flower Seeds, our Catalogue of Small Fruit and Price List, for Spring, 1872, and our Catalogue of Ornamental, Flowering and Budding Plants now ready, and can be had on application.
Bouquets, Cut Flowers, Baskets and Floral Ornaments, executed in the finest style at short notice.
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ATTENTION PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE FIFTH and SEVENTH WARDS—You are hereby notified to bring the deeds of your property to this office for Registry, as required by Act of Assembly approved February 24th, 1872; upon failure to do which the penalties imposed by said Act will be inflicted.
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